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EVACUATE KIAO-CHAU AND WITHDRAW ALL WAR VESSELS IS JAPAN'S ULTIMATUM TO GERMANY

KAISER GIVEN UNTIL SUNDAY NEXT TO QUIT CHINA STRONGHOLD

Tokio, Aug .17–Germany must withdraw her warships from the Orient and evacuate Kiao Chau. This ultimatum was sent to Germany at 8 o'clock Saturday night by Japan through six different channels to insure its delivery.

Japan expects war. No one believes that Germany will yield without a struggle. The position that she has won, and it is believed that the government will declare war on Germany at noon on August 23.

Foreign Minister Kato was in conference with Emperor Yoshito for an hour today and later the head of the navy and army were summoned to the emperor's palace. A number of transports have been ordered to be in readiness for the transportation of troops. The Japanese fleet which recently sailed from Yokasuka is reported to be lying off Tsinghai to prevent any German warships from joining the squadron now there.

It is said that the plans of the general staff of the Japanese army call for sending 95,000 in the first expedition against Kiao-Chau which is one of the strongest fortresses in the far east.

Washington Gets Assurance

Washington, Aug. 17—Japan's ultimatum to the Berlin government that Germany withdraw from Kiao Chau, its stronghold in China, overshadowed in Washington today developments growing out of the war in Europe.

One of the features of the crisis was the determination of the United States not to be drawn into the controversy. The administration looks upon it as an issue strictly between Germany and Japan. Secretary Bryan was assured by Baron Chinda, the Japanese ambassador that the Tokio government would exercise the utmost care to safeguard the interests of the United States and other countries not immediately involved.

Baron Chinda presented a note from his government which comprised an announcement of the ultimatum and a statement of Japan's intentions to restore KiaoChau to China. Germany took the territory from China after killing several German missionaries, 16 years ago. Since the Germans sailed into Kiao Chau harbor 16 years ago and claimed the territory as indemnity for alleged attacks on German missionaries, Japan's avowed intention has been to restore it to her Oriental neighbor.

President Wilson declared that he saw no reason to question the good faith of the declaration of Japan in promising to observe the integrity of China in connection with the Japanese ultimatum to Germany demanding the surrender of Kiau Chau to the Japanese government. The president would not discuss the ultimatum as a whole saying that one of the duties of neutrality was to have no opinion on what other nations were doing. As Secretary of State Bryan was at the White House early this morning, supposedly in connection with Japan's ultimatum both the president and Bryan refused to discuss his visit.

Germany Handed Ultimatum

Washington, Aug. 17.—Japan's ultimatum to Germany reached Berlin today. It was transmitted through James W. Gerard, the American ambassador, and he reported to the state department before noon that he had received it. His dispatch was brief and contained no details of the manner in which the ultimatum was presented nor any indication as to what the outcome would be.

British Receives Notice

(By Herbert Temple)

London, Aug. 17—The British government was officially notified today of Japan's ultimatum to Germany. Under instructions from Tokio, the Japanese minister went to the foreign office and presented a copy of the ultimatum to Sir Edward Grey, the foreign secretary. The statement of the Japanese government that Kiao-Chau would be returned to China and that the integrity of that country would not be menaced by Japan is said to relieve anxiety that had been felt here for some time.

The ultimatum of Japan is expected to hasten action by the German fleet in the North Sea.

If Germany wishes to send assistance to its Asiatic fleet the ships now supposed to be bottled up near the mouth of the Elbe have to come out and fight.

In the meantime the great land grapple is daily becoming closer. The fighting at Dinant shows that the German forces have almost reached the Franco-Belgian frontier, their objective ...

RESOLUTIONS OF PROTEST

Washington, Aug. 17 A resolution directing the secretary of state to protest with Japan because of Japan's ultimatum to Germany and to preserve the territorial integrity of China was introduced by Representative ... of Illinois today. ... says that the Japanese action appears to be a warlike step to ... the former Chinese territory.

Burton Enters A Protest

Washington, Aug. 17—A resolution directing Secretary Bryan to ... protest against the announced intention of Japan to take over the German leased territory Kiao Chau was introduced in the house today by Senator Burton.

German Cruiser Enters Port

San Francisco, Aug. 17—The German cruiser Leipsig steamed into the harbor early today and anchored just within the golden gates. Her captain immediately sent word ashore that he wished to communicate with the German consul. It is expected that she will hasten at top speed to Samoa in anticipation of an attack there by a Japanese fleet.

President Wilson Satisfied

Washington, Aug. 17—President Wilson is entirely satisfied that Japan is acting in good faith in her promise to respect the territorial integrity of China.

China Is Fearful

Peking, China, Aug. 17.—China is deeply stirred up over Japan's ultimatum to Germany. Statesmen see an attempt on Japan's part to take possession of the rich German Colony. A strong detachment was started to Kiao Chau for purpose of forestalling any outsiders from capturing the potr.

ABSOLUTELY NEUTRAL.

THE RUSSIANS CAPTURE TOWNS

St. Petersburg, Aug. 17.—The capture of thriving cities of Insterburg and Gumbinnen by Russian troops invading east Prussia was officially announced today by the general staff. Insterburg is only 52 miles from Konigsberg, the strongly fortified German seaport. It has more than 30,000 inhabitants. Gumbinnen has 18,000.

Shamrock Arrives

New York, Aug. 17—Shamrock the IV challenger for America's cup, arrived here from England convoyed by the yacht Eron. The yacht built by Sir Thomas Lipton made her way here via the Azores and Bermuda.

War Correspondent Declares Many War Stories Are False

(By Carl Von Weigne.)

The Hague, Aug. 17.—Cut off entirely from communication with the world, Germany is meeting the problem of war quietly and with determination. Because of interruption of telegraph and cable service, the lines having been cut by the enemy, many utterly false reports are coming from Germany.

The death of Mrs. Woodrow Wilson was not known in the German capital when I left there Thursday night.

Many stories printed about Germany are absolutely false. One of the most cruel is that the Socialist members of the Reichstag had been executed because of their anti war demonstration, and another that deputy leader of Socialist party had been summarily shot by a firing squad. The story that Rosa Luxemburg, whose stories of alleged cruelty to German soldiers are reported, after arrest had been shot is false. These stories are absolute lies. Not a single Socialist has been shot, not even one arrested. The Socialists are fighting for the fatherland by the hundreds and thousands. Eleven Socialist members of the Reichstag are at the front. The attitude of the party in the present crisis is showed by the action by a leader released from prison after serving a year for making anti-military speeches who issued an appeal to all members of the parties to rush to the colors and save the country. There have been no anti-war demonstrations. The last demonstration of Socialists was broken up by the police, who on horseback rushed into the crowd, respecting no one. My foot was trampled upon by a police horse and mashed. Another story given circulation is that Ambassador Gerard attended meetings to celebrate German victories. Ambassador Gerard has taken no part whatever in these meetings and received perfect co-operation from the municipality of Berlin in care of stranded Americans. There has been no mistreatment of Americans, although on the night of August 4th, when Germany came to the realization that England was hostile a crowd of Germans mistook a number of Americans for Englishmen and mobbed them. I was in the crowd and was mauled and arrested for a spy, but when the officers learned my identity I was released with apologies by the German officials.

CANAL TOLLS RECEIPTS GROWS

Panama, Aug. 17—The sum of $25,000 was taken in yesterday in tolls by the Panama Canal officially opened Saturday, Aug. 15. Three steamers already today are going through the waterway and four more start before nightfall. The total receipts in canal tolls up to the present time amount to $100,000.

INVESTIGATE PRICES

New York, Aug. 17—Plans to stop speculation which is said to have much to do with the increase of food were perfected at a meeting of the executive board of the mayor's committee of 135 appointed to aid the county and Federal officials in the investigation of the upward trend of food prices. In the Long Island section of Brooklyn disorder occurred yesterday where credit was refused to persons thrown out of work on account of plants closing down because of the war.

Austrians Fight In Servia

Nish, Servia, Aug. 17 Seventy thousand Servian and Austrian troops are engaged in desperate battle near Losnitza. The war office issued an official statement today, claiming that the Austrians had been repulsed at Jauja, but it admitted that they had gained a foothold on the Servian side of the river Drina near Losnitza.

Austrians have thrown a bridge across the Drina and have fortified their positions on both banks. The battle has been going on night and day for 48 hours.

KAISER GOES TO FRONT

Berne, Switzerland, Aug. 17.—Emperor William left Berlin for the front shortly after midnight according to a dispatch received here from the German capital today. It says that the Kaiser was accompanied by the headquarters staff of his army and that the special train on which they traveled was bound for Mainz

BRITISH MOVEMENTS WRAPPED IN SECRECY; GENERAL WAR NEWS

The censorship put into effect by the British authorities over the movements of the empire's armed forces afloat and in Belgium is effective to a remarkable degree. Not one word of news has come through for several days past concerning British military or naval activities. Censored dispatches from Brussels and Paris have frequently referred to the presence of troops arrayed against the forces of Germany, but not one word is allowed to come through from any source to indicate what the numerical strength of the British field army may be or where the units are located. Equal secrecy shrouds the movements of the British warships who are believed to be holding the German fleet in check in the North Sea. Not one word comes through of the position of any of the British cruisers, battleships or torpedo boats in these waters. So far as the general public is concerned naval activities are a sealed book.

French official reports assert that the French armies continue their forward march in Alsace where many guns are said to have been captured from Germany as well as many prisoners taken and a standard of the Alsace infantry regiment is now on view at the French war office.

St. Petersburg reports successes by the Russian troops over the Austrians on the frontier where an Austrian dragoon regiment is said to have suffered severely in saber engagements.

A German dreadnaught is reported by a captain of a Dutch steamer as having been put out of action. He asserted on arriving in Holland today that it is lying in the harbor at Trondhjem, severely damaged. No confirmation has been received in official quarters.

A naval battle between French and Austrian warships of Budua, Dalmatia, resulted in the sinking of two Austrian iron clads while one was set on fire and another ... Four British battleships are reported to have chased two Austrian cruisers from Antivari where they established a blockade. The standard of the famous "Death Head Hussars", the German crown prince's regiment, is said to have been captured by the Belgians.

Dispatches saying Greece had received information of the passage through Bulgarian territory of Turkish troops going toward Greece was published in Copenhagen and said that Greece has taken similar measures.

Germany has followed other countries in acknowledging President Wilson's offers of good offices.

J. P. Morgan and Company has abandoned the proposed loan to France owing to the Washington attitude. This is expected to affect other similar financial transactions which were under consideration.

The Japanese press regards the ultimatum sent to Germany as containing reasonable demands.

A large number of American travelers arrived in New York from Europe. Many were glad to obtain accommodations given in the steerage in order to get away from the scenes of hardships and privations. A large amount of bullion for relief of stranded Americans was sent to London from the cruiser Tennessee at Falmouth today.

The Pope is reported to have recovered somewhat caused by indisposition said to have been caused by grief over the war.

Auto Bandits Rob Pittsburg Bank At Noon And Escape

Pittsburg, Aug. 17—Two men entered Homestead National bank, covered officers with revolvers, took all available cash and fled escaping in an auto.

Most of the tellers and clerks were at lunch and Cashier John O'Leary with George Turner, bookkeeper, were the only officials in the banking room. Several depositors were standing at the teller's window where Turner and O'Leary were conversing with them when the two bandits entered. Both were heavily armed and commanded "Hands up." One of the burglars covered the depositors and bank employers while the other went behind the counter scooped all the cash in sight and hurriedly jammed it into a satchel. Covering the men with their guns the bandits backed out the door. At the curb stood an auto belonging to a preacher. Into this the robbers jumped and made their escape.

While the amount stolen is not known Cashier O'Leary estimated it at between $2,500 and $3,000.

French Meet With Strong Resistance In the Vosges Mts.

Paris, Aug. 17—The French war office today announced the capture of Baden by the French. At the same time, however, the war office reported that the Germans are offering furious resistance to the French advance through the Pass of St. Marie Aux Mines in the Vosges mountains.

A great engagement all along the lines of the two opposing armies is forecasted by the war office. At the moment the German main force comes in contact with our troops our allies will force both Austrians and Germans to engage in an additional struggle which will be of vast proportions, says the war office statement.

The czar by his promise to grant autonomy to Poland has obtained the fidelity of the Poles and Russia's mobilization has been accomplished with remarkable rapidity. The Russian army is marching forward for an offensive blow which will soon be felt.

POLICEMAN SHOT.

Chicago, Aug. 17. George Trumbull, the second policeman to be killed in the old segregated district, was shot to death early today.

PASSES SHIPPING BILL

Washington, Aug. 17. By a vote of 30 to 20, the senate today rejected the conference report on the shipping bill to admit foreign built ships to American registry and proposing to open coastwise trade to foreign craft.

Here's a quiet tip and get'n him both in one. I've just learned how t' tie a hangman's knot and now if somebody'll just fetch on th' fellow who started this ... boostin' o' foodstuffs there'll be somethin' doin'. As soon as my present supply of old tomato cans gives out I'm gonna be up against it right. Here's th' weather for tomorrow:

Ohio—Unsettled weather tonight and Tuesday; probably thunder showers.

Kentucky—Fair tonight. Probably showers Tuesday.

Scenic Theatre To-Night!

KING BAGGETT AS KING, THE DETECTIVE IN
"THE JARVIS CASE"
A THRILLING DETECTIVE DRAMA IN TWO PARTS

TOMORROW'S SPECIAL PROGRAM
"THE DEAD MAN WHO KILLED"
A FOUR-PART MILITARY DRAMA

BANDIT GANG IS SLAIN BY POSSE IN MOUNTAINS

Seven Officers Are Reported Killed In A Bloody Battle

On the depot platform at Warncliffe, W. Va., Sunday morning, lay five bodies—grim reminders of West Virginia justice. They were the bodies of five Italians, a band of desperate bandits who killed three officials of the Glen Alum Coal Company, robbed them of a payroll amounting to $7,500 and killed, it is claimed, at least three officers and four other members of a posse that traced them to a cave in the mountains before they paid the penalty for their crimes with their own lives. All but $500 of the $7,500 stolen was recovered.

The known dead are: Five Italians, identity unknown, Dr. W. D. Amick, F. D. Johnson and Joseph Sheler, Glen Alum Coal Company officials, G. T. Eppling, of Thacker, W. Va., and Wm. Burwell of Twin Branch, W. Va., two men by the name of Belcher and Tiller, also officials and members of the posse. Sandford Hatfield and Edward Mounts and a man by the name of Grow were seriously wounded.

In a natural fortness high up on the mountains, about five miles from the scene of the murder and robbery, the bandits had the advantage of the posse. When Sheriff Hatfield left Warncliffe he had twenty deputies. Within ten hours the posse had increased to 500 men, all heavily armed and with the mountain law of justice leading them. A heavy rain was descending and tracking the bandits through the mountains was a difficult task. Soap on the shoes of the desperadoes was used to outwit the officers. But the unerring nose of the bloodhounds traced the bandits to their lair.

Strongly fortified in a cave, the bandits were encountered. Hundreds of shots were exchanged. When the smoke of the first volley had cleared away, several officers lay dead or wounded from the accurate fire of the bandits. All night the fight raged, the desperadoes fighting desperately and with almost uncanny aim. The posse, incensed over the resistance and the loss of their numbers, spread, fan-shape, around the cave. In the darkness and confusion, it is said they fired on one another, but this could not be verified.

When Saturday morning dawned, fire from at least two of the bandits had been silenced. All day Saturday the battle was waged. But force of numbers and the unerring aim of the posse finally told. Saturday evening all resistance in the cave had been checked. Creeping up to the rock-protected barricade of the bandits, the officers and their assistants found the bodies of four Italians, their bodies riddled with bullets and surrounded by hundreds of empty cartridges. One of the bandits had escaped. But his freedom was short-lived. Chased through the mountains for several miles, he was finally brought to bay and slain.

Reports from the scene of the terrific battle say that seven members of the posse were killed and many others wounded.

Bringing the bodies of the bandits to Warncliffe, the posse tossed them down on the station platform with the laconic remark, "The county can bury them: we won't."

MAYOR'S COURT GRINDS ALL MORNING; SOME OF CASES STILL PENDING

One of the largest dockets in the history of police court in this city presented itself before Mayor Frick when he took his place at the police court bench Monday morning. Almost every conceivable form of misdemeanor was included in the pile of affidavits on his desk. So many were the cases assigned for hearing that fully half of them had to be continued until Tuesday morning for final hearing.

Fred Cohn, a Kentuckian arrested early last Saturday evening by Officer Campbell for flourishing a gun in the East End, plead ed guilty Monday morning, and was fined $25 and costs. He paid up and secured his release. Burt Fulton, arrested at the same time on a charge of interfering with the officer, forfeited the $5 bond which he had put up as security for his appearance.

A fine of $25 was also assessed against William Brown, whom the evidence showed cut Oscar Cartwright on the wrist with a knife at the Seymour stable in the West End Sunday morning. Brown furnished ample security for the fine and was released.

John Ward and Nancy Hill, caught together in the latter's home Saturday evening during the absence of her husband, were fined $50 and costs each by the mayor Monday morning. One half of the fine was remitted in each case.

John Polly, arrested Saturday [illegible] Laura Polly, who charged him with wife-beating, was given a sentence of $10. The parties are colored.

Hans Windle and Al Zornes, arrested Saturday evening for creating a disturbance in front of Bridges' livery stable, were fined $5 each. Zornes paid up, but Windle was put to work on the streets to make good his fine.

At the earnest request of the wife, the mayor gave George Adkins a suspended sentence of $10 for wife-beating. His wife caused his arrest Saturday evening, and then begged hard for his release Monday morning.

Van DeLotell and Will Harley, alleged [illegible], [illegible] guilty, and were fined [illegible] each.

A fine of [illegible] was assessed against Mrs. [illegible] of the Gallia pike, who was arraigned on a charge of [illegible] Jack Ava [illegible] pleaded not guilty [illegible] held that the evidence was sufficient to [illegible].

The following cases were continued until Tuesday [illegible] Sam Morrison, [illegible] charged with bootlegging [illegible] Charles Clark [illegible] J. B. Frost [illegible] arms [illegible] Polly, accused [illegible] John Ross and [illegible] Fred Davis [illegible].

Morrison, Polly, [illegible] Davis were [illegible] North End [illegible] Sunday [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

John Ross [illegible]

[illegible]

WAR BULLETINS

Paris, Aug. 17.—This official dispatch from brussels was given out today. The Germans lost 3,000 killed in the battle of Haelen and more than that number of prisoners. One battery was destroyed. The Belgians lost 150 killed and 400 wounded.

London, Aug. 17—Hard fighting is going on between the allies and the Germans near Haelen and Diest. Houses of the townsfolk were badly damaged. Windows were shattered, furniture destroyed and walls demolished. Even the churches were not respected by the artillerymen.

London, Aug. 17—A dispatch from Amsterdam to the Central News says Captain Duthe of the steamer Epsilon on his arrival at Ymuiden reported seeing a German dreadnaught in the harbor at Trondhjem which had been put out of action. Her funnels were smashed and one of her sides was scarred with holes from shell fire. No confirmation of report reached here.

London, Aug. 17—Official press bureau issued a statement saying French troops in course of rapid advance along the valley of Schirmeck have taken a thousand prisoners. The scene of the fighting of the last few days in upper Alsace, official announcement continues, shows great destructive effect of fire of allied artillery. Trenches abandoned by enemy are filled with dead and wounded.

London, Aug. 17—The British official news bureau says the French fleet in the Mediterranean has made a sweep up the Adriatic as far as Catatrao. A small Austrian cruiser of the Aspern type of 2363 tons was fired on by the French vessels and sunk.

MESSAGE FOR WAR TAX

Washington, Aug. 17. At a conference of President President Wilson, Senators Simons and Underwood it was agreal that President Wilson send a message to congress when it becomes necessary to have a war tax. This will not be done for two or three weeks after the session. Germany today was added to the list of nations that had sent acknowledgement of the offer of mediation. England, France and Austria are the other countries. Russia has not yet replied. President Wilson was expected within the next 24 hours to take up the problem whhether this government should censor cables as well as wireless dispatches.

AUTRIANS REPULSED.

London, August 17.—A dispatch from Nish said Servians repulsed attack near Lyma.

Explosion Kills 5

McConnellsville, Aug. 17. Mrs. Leonard Rardon, of near Malta, one of the victims in the gasoline explosion of Walkers garage, here yesterday, died at 7 o'clock this morning. This makes a total of five, and others may be claimed before nightfall. Mrs. James Chappelear cannot survive the day. The condition of Ernest Rigley is also hopeless. Other victims will recover. The dead are: Chester and Frank Walker, Edward Sheets, Frank Bartlett and Mrs. Leonard Rardon.

OIL WELL AFIRE

Tampico, Aug. 17. Fire is threatening the great Tortero De Llano oil well, owned by the Pearson company. A flash of lightning set fire to oil stored near by and the flames are spreading.

"Safety First"

In the [illegible] shops last year 35 per cent of all accidents were eye accidents, in the shops of a large automobile company last year they were 75 per cent.

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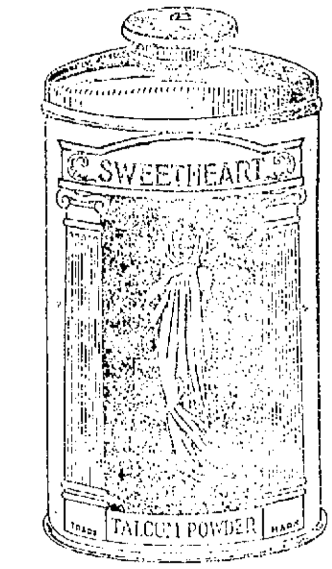

ASK YOUR GROCER

WAR and Portsmouth Prices

The European war will have a tremendous effect upon the retail prices of many articles, and it is expected to practically stop, for a time at least, importations from Europe. This means that laces, gloves, linens, toys, trimmings, many notions, D. M. C. as well as many articles made in this country of raw materials or accessories that are imported, such as yarns, dyes, etc., will be almost impossible to secure.

Prices are sure to advance on all such articles. In fact many of the retail stores of the larger cities have already advanced prices on some articles that we carry in stock, some as much as two hundred percent. We are of the opinion that a retail store, an institution like ours, is duty bound to work in behalf of its customers. This has always been our aim and in a critical time like this, when much of the merchandise that we are offering to you could not be replaced at the prices we ask, we are, nevertheless, maintaining our old prices. It will be time enough when we have to purchase new goods at higher prices for us to advance prices to you.

Our object in this store editorial is to advise you of our determined policy of protecting our customers to the extent of our ability and also to advise you beforehand that much merchandise will advance in prices, heavily, as well as being hard to obtain, a little later on, so that if possible you may provide now for some of your future wants.

Our Remnant Sale still offers you many bargains in short lengths, small lots and odds and ends.

The Anderson Bros Co.
COR. CHILLICOTHE & THIRD STS.

NINE YEAR OLD GIRL'S STORY CAUSES ARREST OF A BOY OF SIXTEEN

Herman Hilman, sixteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hilman, of Fourteenth street, is a prisoner in the juvenile ward of the county jail, pending an investigation by the juvenile court of the charge of criminal assault upon Helen Larkins, a nine-year-old girl of Thirteenth street.

The alleged assault was committed early Sunday evening in the rear of the Coca-Cola Bottling works on Thirteenth street, according to the girl's statement, which implicates young Hilman. The lad was arrested a short time later at the home of his parents on Fourteenth street by police officers, to whom a report of the alleged crime was made.

Attention of the child's mother was called to her condition when she returned home Sunday evening, and after repeated questioning, she related the story of the alleged assault. The little girl was rushed with all haste to the office of City Physician Wendelken, where an examination showed that the lad had partially accomplished his purpose. The girl's condition was not at all serious, however, and she was running about as usual Monday morning.

Young Hilman was turned over to Probate Judge Beatty at eight o'clock Monday morning, and at that time he was subjected to a preliminary examination. He stoutly maintained his innocence and produced two witnesses, Vernon Reilly and James Hicks, North End youths, to substantiate his story. He and Reilly became so mixed up in their stories that Judge Beatty ordered both of them locked up. Hicks was allowed to go, but he will be summoned as a witness later. All three of the boys are under a suspended sentence from the juvenile court.

Just before noon Monday, young Hilman confessed his guilt to Deputy Sheriff Pete Smith, who had been questioning him at some length. He admitted that everything the girl stated was true, and that he had mistreated her in the rear of the bottling plant, after enticing her there with the promise of a bottle of Coca-Cola. Deputy Sheriff Smith made a report of the confession to Judge Beatty, who will arraign the youth in his court some time Tuesday.

SOUTH WEBSTER

Mrs. Henry Kinker and daughter, Miss Maude, and sister, Mrs Carrie Ketter, of Ironton, spent Thursday and Friday the guests of old friends and relatives at Harrisonville and vicinity.

Mrs. Donald Fenton was a business visitor to Portsmouth Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Julius Finney and family, of Fire Brick, Ky., returned home Wednesday after spending a few days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Fenton spent Monday as guests of their son, Mr. A. B. Fenton and family.

Messrs. Charles Bennett, John Wholer and Orville Price, of Sciotoville, were calling on the Misses Carrie and Georgia Conway and Hazel Bennett Sunday. They were pleasantly entertained at the Conway home.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Pyles and family, of Scioto Furnace, spent Sunday with her sister Mrs. James Morris.

James Haines and daughter, Marjorie, of Black Fork, were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Miss Muriel Haines is spending a few days with relatives at Black Fork.

On The Last Lap

Light weight clothing is now running the final heat of the season. Fall clothing is rapidly approaching and pushing the lighter goods for recognition. Soon our shelves will be filled with late styles and models, fabrics and weaves to humor the variation of the weather. Until the capitulation, we are offering low prices on the lighter goods. This will be your last opportunity to secure the bargains. Avail yourself of it and save the difference.

For 89c you can have any **$1.25** Shirt in the house. The small sum of **43c** will allow you to take home with you any 50c and 75c shirts.

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Attire yourself in a serviceable suit at the following prices.

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$12.00 Suits for......$ 9.60	$18.00 Suits for......$14.40
$15.00 Suits for $12.00	$20.00 Suits for......$16.05

THE FAMOUS
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WEALTHY AMERICANS LINED UP IN LONDON TO GET MONEY TO RETURN HOME

The above photograph was taken of the line in front of the Liverpool Street Railway station, London, where hundreds of Americans, many of them millionaires, crowded to accept the offer of Henry Thornton, manager of the Great Eastern Railway System, to cash credit notes up to ten pounds apiece. Mr. Thornton is himself an American. His kindness was greatly appreciated by the hundreds of stranded Americans he aided.

TERMINALS

Max Caskey, N. & W. clerk, did not report for work at the office Monday all on account of his eagerness to view the wreck near Perintown Sunday. He was on his way to Cincinnati and stopped off to view the wreck. He intended to come home on No. 24 Sunday evening, but on account of the wreckage the train was detoured over the C. & O. tracks, Max being left on the scene of the wreck.

Ernest Lawson of Gallia pike, is confined to his home with a slight illness. Mr. Lawson is an N. & W. employee.

Will Reuch, chief clerk to N. & W. Assistant Superintendent L. C. Ayers returned to work Saturday after a fifteen days vacation which he spent in visiting places of interest in the East.

M. McMahon, N. & W. time clerk, will enjoy a fifteen days vacation as soon as Edwin Ledwick returns to work.

O. J. Tyree, N. & W. assistant road foreman of engines of the Norfolk division, who has been on the Scioto division for six weeks instructing the enginemen in the handling of the twenty-five new Mallet engines recently put to work on the Columbus division, has returned to Norfolk.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineemen, No. 591, and the Ladies' Auxiliary will hold a special meeting at their hall on August 25. All visitors will be welcome, if you are a member of the order or not. All members are requested to be present with their wives and a grand time will be shown any who attend.

Edwin Ledwick, N. & W. file clerk in Scioto Division Superintendent J. T. Carey's office, began a fifteen days vacation Monday.

F. B. Osborne, director of religious work at the Y. M. C. A., is expected home Monday evening from Clare, Ohio, where he has been conducting a series of revival meetings at the Clare Y. M. C. A. and one of the churches. His family has been with him. There is no religious work director at the Clare Y. M. C. A. and Rev. Osborne devotes part of his time to it.

The attendance at the Tabernacle Sunday school seems to be on the decrease. There were only 65 present Sunday afternoon. The usual attendance is around the 100 mark.

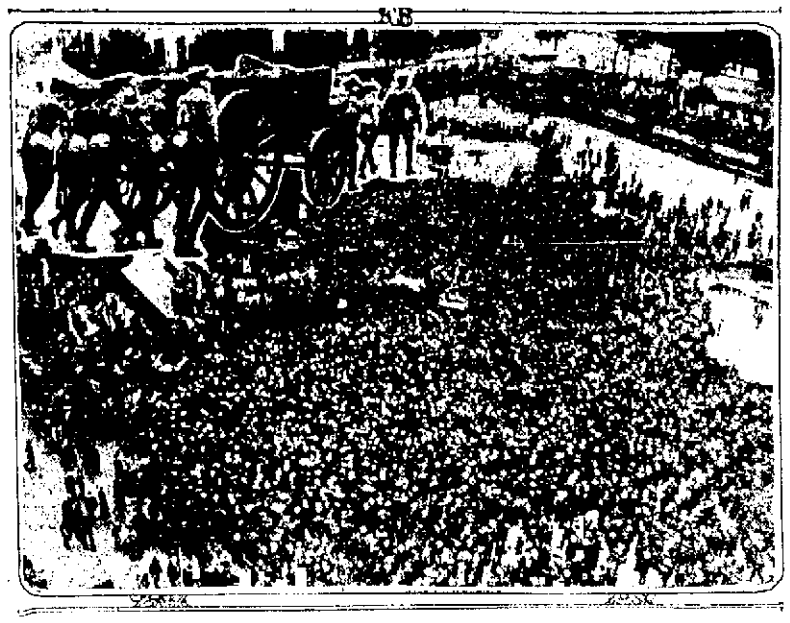
Robert McCorkle, N. & W. clerk, spent Sunday in Cincinnati with relatives.

Russell Egbert, N. & W. clerk in the timekeeping department, is suffering with a badly scratched right arm sustained Sunday while he was taking a canoe to the river.

The top of the stone culvert under Gallia pike at the head of Plum street is being lowered on account of the paving of the pike.

The S. Monroe and Sons steam shovel is certainly cutting the dirt on Gallia pike. The excavating as far as Plum street was completed Monday.

FIRST PHOTO OF ENGLISH DEMONSTRATION IN TRAFALGAR SQUARE WHEN WAR WAS DECLARED ON GERMANY



In this picture is shown the crowd surging around the base of Trafalgar Monument, London, the day Great Britain declared war on Germany. The insert photograph is of an ammunition wagon being drawn by English troops through the streets of London on its way to a coast station to be transported to the continent.

The Movies

Special Pictures At Columbia Theatre

"The Mother Heart," a special picture in two acts at the Columbia this evening is a picture so true and natural, as to appeal to all classes. Pretty Bessie Eyton is the principal around whom the story revolves. She is the society girl who rebels against the methods of the "Idle Rich" and finally finds peace and happiness in the simpler life. It is a good story well told in pictures.

Everybody wants to see the big five reel picture of travel tomorrow, (Tuesday), at the Columbia. It is entitled "Sport and Travel in Central Africa" and is a correct reproduction of actual scenes and experiences taken during Captain Machin's great expedition into the central part of Africa some few years ago.

This picture shows every known species of wild animals, birds and reptiles in their native haunts. You see how these wild beasts are captured for use in circuses and zoological gardens. You also see several of the most prominent tribes of the African jungles and see how they live.

This picture comes to the Columbia tomorrow highly recommended and many motion picture critics claim that it is a better picture of African life than the famous Paul J. Rainey pictures, which were shown at the Columbia some months ago. Just look at these prices: Adults 10 cents, children under twelve 5 cents.

Lyric Big Features

Charming Kathlyn Williams is the star at the Lyric today in Selig's big thrilling three reel animal feature "In Tune With the Wild." It is a wonderful picture from beginning to end, showing some startling action with the people and the wild animals for the background. You will be royally entertained with this picture.

Mary Pickford will be here again tomorrow in a mighty pretty story called "The Woman From Mellons," a high life comedy drama that puts Mary right in her element. Wednesday comes Joe Joyce and Tom Moore in "The Vampire's Trail." They say it's the best two reel feature Joyce ever acted, and on Thursday "Othello" in five parts, is the big show. This Shakespearean drama is an ultra high class picture and will prove one of the grandest pictures you ever saw.

At The Exhibit

Tonight's headliner at the Exhibit theatre is "Our Mutual Girl." Also, "Feast and Famine," a good American drama. Tuesday will see Episode Nineteen of the "Million Dollar Mystery." It is entitled "The Wiles of a Woman" and is as follows: The conspirators determine to get rid of Norton, who is too astute against them. They carry out several dastardly schemes, all of which fail. Finally, in desperation, they decide to throw him through a man-hole and let him drown in the sewer. Their plan succeeds successfully. He is thrown through the man-hole, but succeeds in keeping his side of the battle rings about his neck after a terrible struggle for life in the darkness of the sewer. The Countess says he bears a charmed life, so they decide that to estrange Florence and Norton, who are secretly engaged, will help them. Braine is the Countess' tool, a shrewd man to whom the countess artfully carries out whereby Florence is deceived into believing Norton false to her and she flees from the Countess' apartment in heart-broken grief.

At The Scenic

Tonight's feature at the Scenic is the great detective drama in two parts, "The Jarvis Case," featuring King Baggott, the popular Universal star, as King, the detective. A splendid feature picture, you should not miss it.

Tomorrow will be a big day at the Scenic as the management has secured a splendid special program, one that will give you an insight into the tactics used by the soldiers who are fighting in the great European war. The big feature is "The Dead Man Who Killed," a thrilling military drama in four parts. The scenes of this great picture were taken in and around a military academy in one of the nations now engaged in the great European war. It is one continual round of thrills and surprises from the beginning of the first reel to the end of the fourth.

In addition to this big feature, "Uncle Sam In Mexico," a picture showing actual scenes of the operations of the United States army in and around Vera Cruz, Mexico. It was taken by one of the Universal Film company's camera men who was sent to Mexico for this purpose. This is an exceptionally interesting program, you can't afford to miss it as this will be your only chance to see these great pictures. Remember they will be shown tomorrow night only. The first show starts promptly at 7:15, so be there when the show starts. The Scenic has 200 seats under roof and shows rain or shine.

At The Temple Theatre Tonight

Tonight the Temple theatre, Eleventh street, will show the fifth installment of "The Million Dollar Mystery," which right now is the reigning sensation of the motion show world. This installment is perhaps the most thrilling of any yet produced and you don't want to miss it. Hundreds of patrons lay claim to the fact that "The Million Dollar Mystery" is the greatest picture ever produced, and of course the Temple has it. Come tonight and be convinced of its merits—you'll never miss another installment.

SOCIAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Newman have returned to their home in Berkley, W. Va., after a two weeks' visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George O. Newman, of Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. McClure and baby, of this city, motored to Maple Grove Sunday, for a day's stay at that pleasurable resort.

Squire Finney officiated at the marriage Saturday evening of James H. Stevens, a railroad section hand of Scioto ville, and Emma Jane Shope, a young lady of this county, formerly a resident of Fire Brick, Ky. On Saturday afternoon he was called upon to officiate at the wedding of an old friend, Frank E. Cook, a carpenter, of Ironton, O., to Miss Viola Raggles of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Gleason and daughter, Emelie, Mrs. Alys Dudley and son Raymond, of Norfolk, Va., will arrive here in the morning for a two days' visit with friends, enroute to Cleveland and different points of interest on the Great Lakes, for a month's sojourn. From there they expect to go to Chicago for a visit with relatives before returning home the latter part of September.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Suffron, son Roger, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hopkins and son Robert have returned from Peebles, where they visited Mr. Suffron's parents and attended the Chautauqua.

Miss Josephine Clare, of the Chillicothe pike, who has been quite ill for the past five weeks, is now able to be up and around.

The friends of Miss Bessie Swearengin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Swearengin, and Mr. Chad Fisher were surprised to hear of their marriage Saturday evening at the Bigelow parsonage, Rev. A. F. Hughes performing the ceremony. Miss Swearengin, a splendid young woman, was one of the chief operators at the Portsmouth Telephone Co. Mr. Fisher is also an employee there. They left immediately after the ceremony on a trip, going first to Ironton, where they will visit with relatives, and then go to Cleveland, where they will visit before returning home. The Times joins with their friends in best wishes and congratulations.

Miss Grace Fisher, who is employed in the mailing department of the Selby Shoe Co., has gone to visit her home in Manchester and friends in West Union.

Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Berndt and children returned home last night after having had a delightful outing at Bay View, Mich.

Mrs. P. E. Selby and two children, Mrs. W. G. Williams and Mrs. A. T. B. Sommerville, who have also been there, are expected home this week.

Mrs. J. S. Pierce is chaperoning a jolly crowd of young people who have a cottage at Camp Riverside, for ten days.

Listen, Light Bearers and Mothers' Jewels, of the Bigelow church, the picnic planned for Thursday has been called off on account of that day being Portsmouth Day at the Lucasville fair. The date of the picnic will be announced later.

Mrs. Adolph Hurth, of Gay street, has as guest her sister, Miss Elsie Klein, of Cincinnati, who came here from Cleveland, having gone there to attend the "Style Show" and the elaborate banquet for the people in connection with it.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Streich, of Cleveland are coming tonight for a visit with Mrs. Streich's grandmother, Mrs. Louis Blomeyer. While here they will be included in a family gathering at the Blomeyer cottage at Camp Arion. Others in the party will be Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Blomeyer and daughter, Mildred, of Cleveland, who arrived here Saturday night.

The W. C. T. U. of Fullerton met at the home of Mrs. Nellie Gray on Friday afternoon, with a good attendance. The meeting was called to order by the president. After singing, there was a reading by Mrs. Gray and prayer by Mrs. T. A. Coles. The minutes of the last meeting were read, after which there was an election of officers for the ensuing year.

The election resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Nellie Gray; vice-president, Mrs. T. A. Coles; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Bertha Hunt; recording secretary, Mrs. Mary Anderson; treasurer, Mrs. Julia Warnock; superintendent of Sunday schools, Mrs. Lulu Gray; superintendent of temperance literature, Mrs. Ethan Mowry; superintendent of soldiers' and sailors' work, Mrs. T. A. Coles; Sabbath observer, Mrs. Laura Fannin.

The meeting closed with the announcement that the next session would be held at the home of Mrs. Mary Anderson on the afternoon of the first Friday in September.

Mr. and Mrs. August Etterling, of Sheoah Station, were very much surprised Saturday when their children, grand-children and friends gathered to celebrate their twentieth wedding anniversary. Everyone had a good time and enjoyed the beautiful day in the country very much. Mr. and Mrs. August Etterling have been married twenty years last Saturday. Many beautiful presents were received. Mr. Etterling's children present were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kinnamon, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Etterling, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Widdig, Mr. and Mrs. John Rhodes, Mr. Gus Etterling, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kellog, Misses Nelle and Fanny Etterling. The grand-children were David, Mildred and Violet Widdig, Fred, Alfred and Warren Etterling, Kathryn Kinnamon and Arnold Kellog. All wished Mr. and Mrs. Etterling many more happy wedding anniversaries.

Carl Brant, of Scioto ville, motored to Sheoah Station Sunday evening.

Mr. Gus Etterling, of Sheoah Station, spent Sunday at Otway, Ohio.

Class 15 of the Wheelersburg High school, enjoyed a pleasant outing Saturday afternoon on a shady hillside above the burg. After playing croquet and several other games all proceeded to partake of the lunch which the girls had prepared. When the shades of evening began to gather they departed for their respective homes, hoping to meet again in a few short weeks as seniors in the High school. Those present were Misses Beatha Ash, Anna Miller, Evelyn and Averil Hunsinger, Hazel Fritts, Clara Cranston, Marie Jones, Mattie Griver, Lou Smythe, John and Mack Somers and Raymond Gleim.

ROCKY FORK

The delegation wagon took to the Friendship celebration Saturday a load of about sixty persons.

Jessie Newman and Bessie Jones passed here Monday after a delightful visit with relatives and friends at McGaw.

Lee Howard and family spent Friday night with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Evans.

The convalescent are Mr. Oscar Chapman and Floyd Evans.

Bud Evans spent from Friday till Monday with his cousin, Robert Evans.

Willie Hayslip and John Jones attended the celebration at Friendship Saturday.

David Evans passed here enroute to the Peerless with a fine load of fruit.

W. L. Fultz called on Mr. Wm. Chapman Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Evans.

Coleman Hayslip and wife spent a few days last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Francis, of Turkey Creek.

Rev. Upton preached at this place Sunday. In two weeks he will preach his farewell sermon unless we get him for our pastor the coming year.

Milton Chapman, Ralph Robinson, Arthur Noxsel and Earl Montgomery were visiting Wm. Chapman and family Sunday.

A party of people autoed their way from West Virginia through this village Wednesday.

F. C. Fite will give an ice cream supper Saturday night, August 15, for the benefit of the church.

First Notable To Be Killed in the War

Prince William of Lippe, was the first European notable, so far as means reports have made known, to be killed in the European war. He and his son led a charge against the Belgian forts protecting Liege, and word has come that both were killed.

AUSTRIA AND ITALY ARE ON VERGE OF WAR, TROOPS ARE MASSING

(By Brixton D. Alliare)

Rome, Aug. 17—Government officials here believe that Austria soon will declare war on Italy because of the fact that martial law prevails all along the Austro-Italian frontier. Austria has massed a large body of troops there.

Italy in retaliation for Austria's act and as a precautionary measure has rushed a big army to the towns on the Austrian frontier and in some places the Austrian and Italian troops are camped within a few hundred yards of each other. The report was received here that the French defeated the Germans near Mulhausen. There is no confirmation.

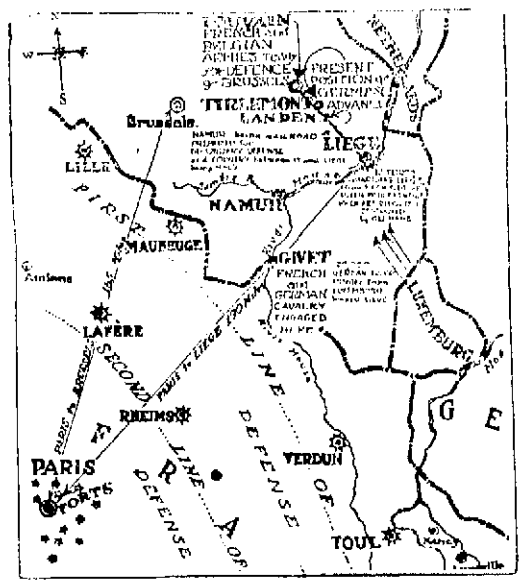
A Daily Bath for the Eye.

A daily "eye bath" is an excellent means of preserving the sight and beauty of the eyes, and is particularly valuable for persons who motor a good deal, for nothing is more injurious to eyes than frequent contact with dust. Dissolve one teaspoonful of boracic acid powder in one pint of rose-water. Every night pour some of the lotion into a glass eyecloth, add enough hot water to render it tepid, and bathe each eye in turn by opening and shutting it in the lotion.

Enamelware Cement.

For mending enamelware pots and pans where a hole has been made or the enamel has been chipped off the following is effective: Equal parts of soft putty, finely sifted coal ashes and sifted table salt. Mix all together and pack it into the hole. Place the mended article on the stove with a little water in it until the cement gets hard. It never falls, and it becomes as hard as the enamel itself.

LINES ALONG WHICH KAISER'S TROOPS AND THOSE OF THE ALLIES ARE CLASHING



Marting's Final Clearance on All Summer Merchandise

To make room for new Fall goods that we are receiving daily we have decided to close out all summer merchandise as quickly as possible. Below we mention just a few of the many wonderful values to be found throughout the store. Quantities are limited so come early to get the best selection.

20c to 50c Wash Goods, a large assortment of Voiles, Lawns, Rice Cloth, Seca Silks, Madras, Tissue Ginghams, etc. Choice yd. **10c**

$7.50 To $10.00 DRESSES. CHOICE **$2.95**

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WATER WORKS OPENING.

The announcement that the testing of the new water works will begin today is gladsome news to every Portsmouth citizen. This day has been looked for for many months and so often has the opening been announced that it has caused some humor and doubt, but it is the real thing today and welcomed. Water will flow for the first time into this modern plant and what has been promised by the expenditure of vast sums of public money will be fully realized within a few days—the purest of water will flow from every spigot in the city. The dream will have come true and there should be glad rejoicing in every home. Those public servants who have caused this to be, by the promotion and the completion of the plant, are deserving of the thanks of the whole people. They have done well, having secured the best possible plant for the outlay and the experienced say there is none better. There may be some difference on this proposition, but it is not a difference that would wish the plant to be a failure rather than a success. We all hope that it will be and do just what is claimed for it, furnish the citizens of Portsmouth with an abundance of the purest water possible. We rather feel that it will do so and are inclined to be rather inflated by living in a small city that is so progressive that it will construct a half-million dollar plant for the benefit and convenience and good health of its people. It is surely something to be proud of, and those who go away on a journey will feel like recalling this fact to those they meet and they will be justified in doing so, for how few cities of the population of Portsmouth can boast of having such a modern or such an extensive water plant. We welcome its opening and join in the expression of thanks to those who have been a party to its construction.

PRICES OF BREAD.

In some larger cities the bakers have given notice that they will advance the five cent loaf to ten cents. Wheat has not doubled in price or advanced more than ten per cent, and the greatest crop in history is in the bin. If this unjustifiable advance of this and other products is to continue, congress should place an embargo on the shipment of any of these products out of the country and force the price booster to place a reasonable price on the products. We believe that this will be the aim of the President when the investigation is completed which will show the nefariousness of the hold-up which is wholly uncalled for as everyone of any intelligence whatever knows. The European war has not gone far enough to create any extraordinary demand and the fluctuation of prices is unnatural and only in contemplation of what may be possible in the future. There is every opportunity now for the present administration to reduce the cost of living and have 90 out of every 100 citizens with it.

WAR CONCILIATES.

That inspiring cartoon showing John Redmond, Sir Edward Carson, King George and Emmaline Pankhurst marching arm in arm to war is a notable instance of just what a conciliating effect war has. A few weeks ago that quartette was in the midst of a distressing home row that threatened to disrupt the English nation. There seemed to be no solution for it and civil war was almost at hand. How quickly this internal strife and bitterness has passed. The mere threat of an international war in which Great Britain was to be a party, completely obliterated all the ill feeling and the most active in the row were first to tender to their country their services on the field of battle—the Irish. The spirit of these people is also prevalent in all countries more especially in this of ours. We also forget our personal and local troubles and enter with spirit into the defense of our country.

LEST WE FORGET.

If one will permit his mind to go back to the [illegible] war he will probably recall it was Austria that suggested that the European powers go to the assistance and [illegible] of [illegible]. Recalling this fact we are less in sympathy with the attack [illegible] of little Servia by this haughty hyphenated monarchy and [illegible] from the bottom of our sympathetic hearts that this war will tear out that [illegible] and separate the [illegible]

EXPERT CENSORSHIP.

The censor of the foreign dispatches is such an expert at the business that it is wholly unnecessary for him to send to this country to secure the assistance of our old friend "Ben" Boalt who pulled off the largest battle of the Mexican war in which he killed more people than Mexico ever had in its army since the country was discovered. The European fellow is getting along fairly well, thank you, considering that the principal cables are cut and he has to draw on his imagination to cover a territory that is more vast in area and population than that of Mexico.

The European war is so terrible that even the American jingo is so scared out of his boots that he refers to it in a most respectful whisper.

Hog Roasted Alive

Disastrous Fire On The Schaefer Farm

Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the fine big barn and other outbuildings of John Schaefer, a well known farmer and storekeeper on the Buena Vista pike near Turkey Creek, Sunday morning, about 11 o'clock.

The barn, a two story frame structure 40 feet wide and 120 feet long, and the row of smaller buildings which surrounded it including a double corn crib, a chicken coop and hog pen were reduced to ashes together with their contents. Sixteen tons of hay, one hundred bushels of wheat, five tons of baled straw, a corn planter, wheat binder and other farming implements went up in the flames. The only thing saved was a roller.

A hog weighing 300 pounds was roasted alive while the chickens escaped the flames. The fire had gained great headway when discovered and such was the fury of the flames that neighbors were unable to approach within 100 feet of the barn. They formed a bucket brigade and turned their attention to saving the family dwelling which was also threatened.

Mr. Schaefer and family had gone to a picnic on Odle Creek for the day and when his sons, Charles and John returned in advance of the others they found the barn and buildings had burned to the ground. The loss on the barn alone is $1,000 fully covered by insurance but it is not thought any insurance was carried on the contents.

It is believed that the fire may have been started by a lighted cigar or cigarette stump carelessly thrown into the barn by some passer by.

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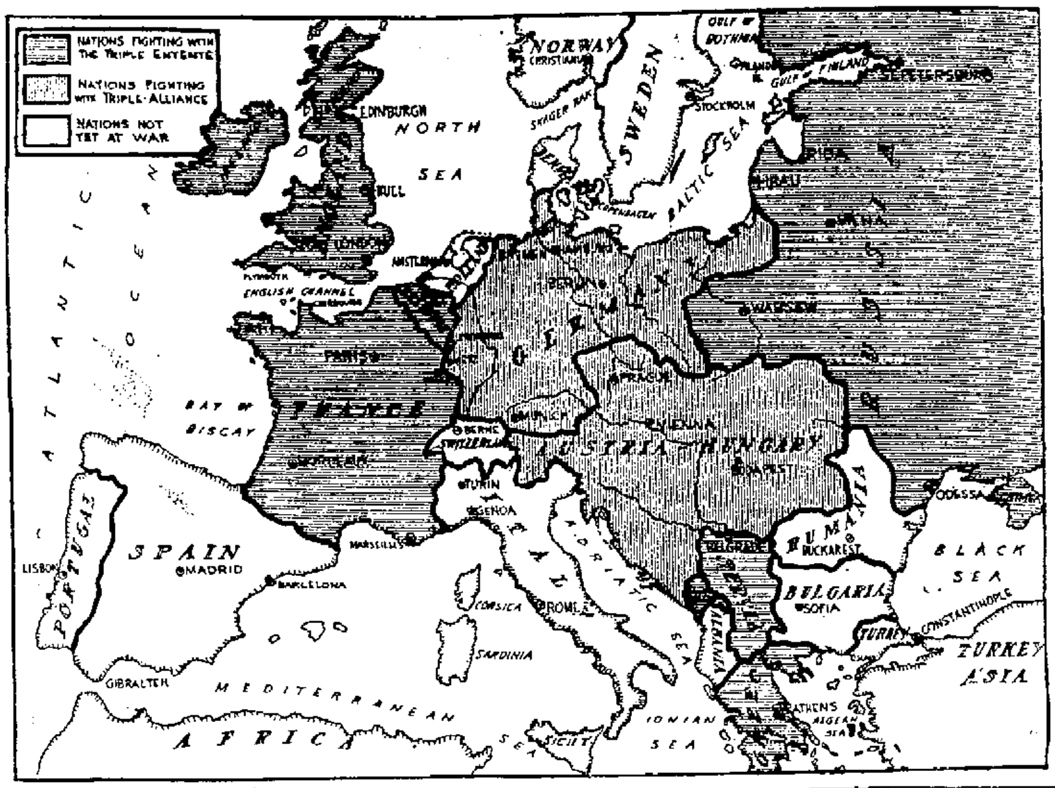
How the Map of Europe is Turning Black with War



Get License In Cincy

Sunday's Cincinnati Enquirer told of a marriage license having been issued to George A. Baley, aged 31, a steelworker of Portsmouth, and Miss Alma Kidder, aged 18, a shoeworker of 1101 Walnut street, that city.

Daily Thought.

Only for the cheerful does the tree of life blossom; for the innocent the well-spring of youth keeps still flowing, even in old age.—Arndt.

Of the 495,473,000 persons in European countries 372,373,000 are at war. The armies they think they can raise reach the enormous total of 15,480,000. That is, if the nations must call on all their resources, they will have at war one of every five men they contain.

The statistics of seven warring nations are as follows:

Nations	Estimated Population	War Strength Of Army
Russia	160,100,000	5,400,000
Germany	64,900,000	4,350,000
Austria-Hungary	51,340,000	1,820,000
England (United Kingdom)	45,000,000	890,000
France	39,601,000	2,500,000
Belgium	7,432,000	340,000
Servia	4,000,000	270,000
Totals	372,373,000	15,480,000

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LEGAL NOTICE

Edna Bishop, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that Walter Bishop has filed his petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, in Case No. 13,724, in which he prays for a divorce from said Edna Bishop on the grounds of wilful absence, and that said cause will be for hearing on and after the 7th day of September, 1914.

Millar and Micklethwait, Attorneys.
adv 27-6 Mon.

LEGAL NOTICE

Robert C. Frazier, whose place of residence is to the undersigned unknown, will take notice, that on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1914, Jennie Frazier, the wife of the said Robert C. Frazier, filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, praying for a divorce from the said Robert C. Frazier, on the ground of gross neglect of duty and for alimony, and that she may be restored to her maiden name.

That said cause will be for hearing in said court on and after six weeks and one day from the first publication hereof, to-wit: on and after the 18 day of August, 1914.

Dated this 3rd day of July, A. D. 1914.

JENNIE FRAZIER.

Theo. K. Funk, Attorney.
adv. July 6-7 Mondays

LEGAL NOTICE

James A. Sutphin, whose place of residence is to the undersigned unknown, will take notice that on the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1914, Elizabeth Sutphin, the wife of the said James A. Sutphin, filed her certain petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, praying for a divorce from the said James A. Sutphin, on the ground of gross neglect of duty and for restoration to her maiden name, and all equitable relief.

That this cause will be for hearing in said court on and after six weeks and one day from the first publication hereof, to-wit: On and after the 18th day of August, A. D. 1914.

Dated this 3rd day of July, A. D. 1914.

ELIZABETH SUTPHIN.

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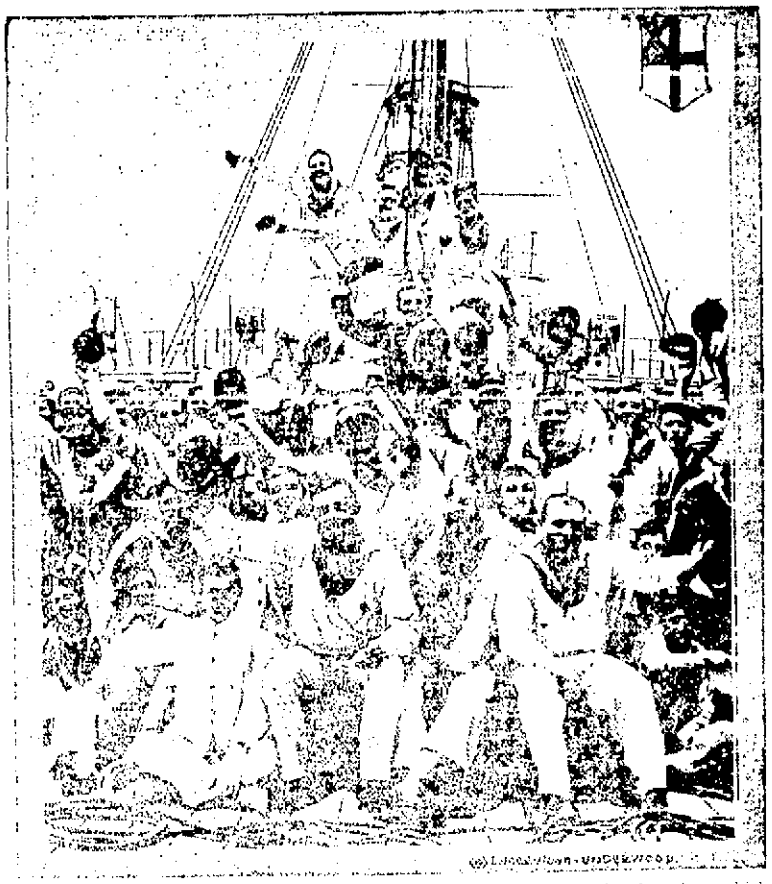

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When the European situation was [illegible] approaching a crisis [illegible] all felt certain that Britain would be involved the sailors of [illegible] who knew they would have to do most of the fighting did not feel down hearted. This photograph shows the spirit in which they received the news. They were on one of the larger dreadnoughts which had never been tried in warfare. Every British sailor is anxious to learn how effective the monster vessels will be in a real fight.

POLLY AND HER PALS

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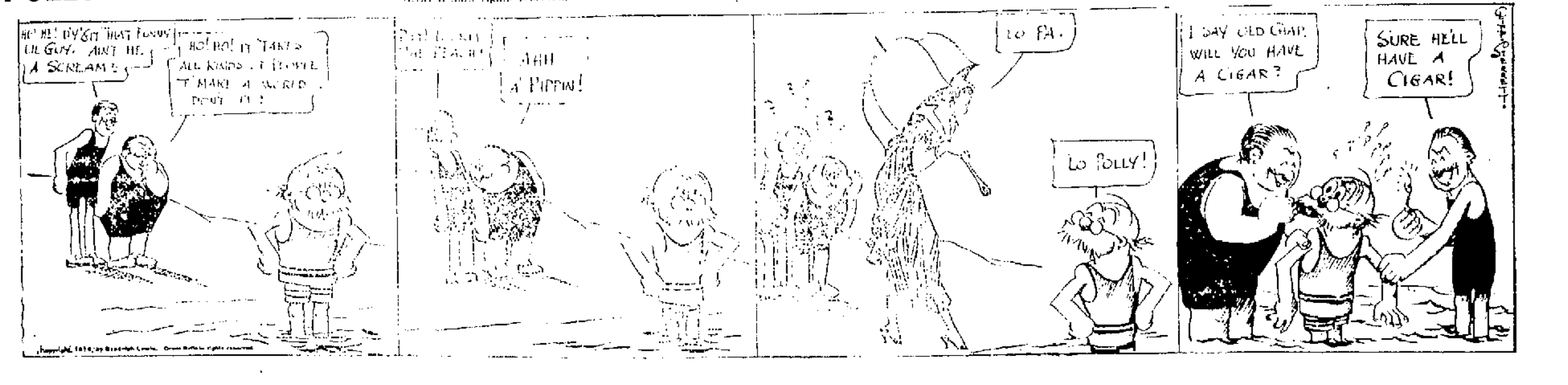

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Does the bright sun hurt them and cause them to blink? Are you troubled with occasional headaches? Do you sometimes see black specks following you around in the distance? Do your eyes run when facing the wind? If so, there is something radically wrong. At any rate you cannot afford to take chances.

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Using these columns is pretty much like picking up money on the streets. Walking is small effort, you wear out a little sole leather, the money you pick up is clear gain, if you can't find the owner.

So it is little effort to telephone your "want" to this paper, your carrier will collect the little cost—only ⅔ cents a word each insertion—and the little ad is altogether likely to get for you what you want.

MASONIC NOTICE

Regular meeting Solomon Council No. 79 Monday evening, Aug. 17th at 7 o'clock.

MASONIC NOTICE

Aurora Lodge No. 48, will meet Thursday evening, August 20, at 7 o'clock. Work in the Entered Apprentice Degree. All candidates for this degree expected.

WANTED

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revare & Klingman, Home phone 490. 20tf

WANTED:—To buy second hand clothing and shoes of all kinds. Phone A 1715. 8-tf

NOTICE:—For prompt package delivery call John Collins, 1616 7th. Phone A 1146. 12tf

HAULING, Draying, packages delivered. H. Clay Mershon. Phone Y 544. 2tf

NOTICE:—For prompt package delivery call L. S. Warnock, X 777. 25tf

WANTED:—By M. Jacobs Sons 11th and Washington Sts. hides, roots, feathers of all kinds. Phone A 1015. 6tf

NOTICE:—For prompt package delivery, call George Abrams, A 1025. 6-30

WANTED:—Girl to do washing. Call 817 Gallia. 17-3

WANTED:—Good white girl for housework at once. 1816 Timmonds Ave. 17tf

WANTED:—Girl for general housework. No washing. At 1626 Highland Ave. Telephone X 1526. 17-3

AUTO EXCHANGE—Purchase an auto from us and secure an interest in an agency. Address Auto Exchange, Portsmouth, O. 17-2

WANTED:—Exceptional good man for exceptional good position. Address Box 288. 17-3

NOTICE:—For auto livery to Lucasville Fair call John Neu, Phone B 955. 17-3

WANTED:—Girl for general house work. Phone A 157[illegible] 17-6

WANTED:—Furniture and musical instruments to repair. Cor. Front and Sinton. 17-3

WANTED:—Girl to help with general house work. Mrs. W. B. Anderson, Rose Ridge. 17-3

WANTED:—Girl for table waiting, 735 6th St. 17-2

WANTED:—Girl at restaurant. 1160 10th. 14tf

WANTED:—2 gentlemen boarders. 702 Harvard. Phone A 1462 14-3

WANTED:—Licensed engineer. Harden Spoke Co. Harden, O. 14-3

WANTED:—Boarders. Call at 12[illegible] 5th St. 15-4

WANTED:—Girl for general housework. A. N. Horr, 1623 5th St. 11tf

WANTED:—Girl for general house work. Mrs. John W. Berndt, 1317 Lincoln St. 13tf

WANTED:—Dining room girl and kitchen girl. Only respectable girls need apply. Nixon Hotel, Peebles, Ohio. 12-5t

WANTED:—Lady clerk for noon hours and Saturday. Inter City Tea Co. Over Security Bank, Gallia St. 11tf

WANTED:—Woman cook. Rudolph Hotel, New Boston. Phone 140. 14-3

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FOR SALE

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4 room two story house, 7th., basement under entire house, lot 34 ft. front. Will take horses, cattle, hogs, wagons as part payment. Balance on easy terms. $1500.

5 room cottage, bath, reception hall, lot 40 ft. front, street assessment paid. Barn. Baird Ave. $3250. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview. Phone A 1408. adv

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Saloon and restaurant with four room dwelling combined. One of the best locations in the city. Business long established. Terms cash $7500

Good six room house on Eighth street. Slate roof, gas and bath $2800

Good 12 room house on Ninth street, bath, gas, good stables. Good location for boarders or roomers $6500

For further particulars see Jno. R. Skelton, 812 Ninth street, phone A-1266. 17-6t

FOR SALE:—Automobile, Olds 2 passenger. Good machine, $10. Ben Anson, 1131 10th St. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Graded Freestone Peaches. Deliver to any part of city. Shall be pleased to show you my orchard. G. A. Flagg, Portsmouth, O. R. F. D. 1. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Or trade, 12 h. p. motorboat, in good condition, 22 ft. long; for information call 914 7th St. Phone A 1717. 17-3

FOR SALE:—10 acre farm four miles from city on Buena Vista pike.

1 room brick house on 9th St.

3 room house on 6th St., rents $10 per month. Price $850.

4 room house on 6th St., rents $15.00 per month. Price $1550.

7 room house on 7th St., rents $24.00 per month. Price $2800.

Several small farms and houses in different parts of the city. W. L. Baker, Ohio Valley Bank Bldg. Phone X 902. 17-6

FOR SALE:—Cheap grocer's fixtures, child's bed, gas range, sideboard, vacuum sweeper. 1103 Offnere. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Dining room and other furniture. 814 2nd St. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Cottage on Grimes avenue at a bargain if sold this week. Phone 1449. H. A. Bierley Realty Co. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Oak bed, dresser, mattress, springs, two gas heating stoves, tables. Call Y 1291. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Large lot on Timmonds Ave. A bargain. Phone B 629. 17tf

FOR SALE

6 room two story, 1623 Mound storm sheeted, hardwood floors, street assessment paid, bath, electricity, small payment down, $3350.

Five room cottage, lot 50 by 139, barn, cistern, on hill. $2800. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview. Phone A 1408. adv

FOR SALE:—Two fresh cows on the Fred Eckert farm, one mile east of Sciotoville, O. Phone 11 on 26, Sciotoville exchange. 11-6

FOR SALE:—Household goods and carpenter's tools. Apply 1740 Gallia St. 15-3

FOR SALE:—5 room new house on Summit St. $2500.

Lot on Grandview avenue, near Hilltop car line. $1600.

8 room house with bath on 19th St. $3500.

4 room cottage on 18th St. $2100.

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FOR SALE:—Tarpaulins, all sizes at H. S. Grimes, Elk Bldg. 24tf

FOR SALE

For investment. Gallia street property above Offnere. Thirty foot frontage. Seven room two story house. Price on application.

For investment. Ninth street property near Offnere, above 1913 flood. Business or residence property. Price on application.

Seven room house on Hutchins in Timmonds addition. Built by owner for his home. Convenient. Desirable. Good location. Price $4400.

Two story house on Center street. Six rooms, bath. $3150. Cheap at this price.

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—Two rooms for light house keping, Elk Bldg. Portsmouth Banking Co. 8tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath, 822 Chillicothe, side entrance. 17tf

FOR RENT:—Large front room with alcove. Bath and use of telephone. Side entrance. 626 4th St. 15-3

FOR RENT:—Front room down stairs for light housekeeping. 852 4th St. 17-2

FOR RENT:—New 7 room house, modern conveniences, low rent, Hilltop. 1828 Summit. 17-3

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping, 2101 8th St. 17-6

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping, 1314 Grandview. 17-3

FOR RENT:—Small furnished front room near post office, electric lights, use of phone, bath and porch. $2 per week. Call evenings 817 6th St. 17-tf

FOR RENT:—Very desirable 7 room house, furnace, gas, electricity, sanitary bath, beautiful shade trees and yard, high ground, Fifth and Brown. See Guy Williams. 17-1

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished room, 1 square from Chillicothe St. Bath. Apply 905 4th. 13tf

FOR TRADE:—3 4-room houses in Columbus, O. for farms or Portsmouth real estate. 808 2nd St. J. A. Maxwell. 29tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished room all conveniences, 831 8th, east of Chillicothe. 8tf

FOR RENT:—Tarpaulins, all sizes at H. S. Grimes, Elk Bldg. 24tf

FOR RENT:—3 room flat, Maxwell Flats, Gallia street opposite Fire department. See J. A. Maxwell. 25-tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms, 1508 7th St. 14tf

FOR RENT:—Two rooms furnished for light housekeeping or sleeping with bath and phone. 1115 3rd St. 14tf

FOR RENT:—Very desirable room, bath, electric lights, 644 4th. 7tf

FOR RENT:—Three unfurnished rooms, 1233 Ninth St. 12-6t

FOR SALE:—Delivery horse in good condition. Adams Bakery, New Boston. 12-tf

FOR SALE:—6 lots 50x600. Price $350 on easy terms. 10 minutes walk from street car. 4 squares from corporation line. Phone Y 1550. 8tf

FOR SALE:—5 room two story house on Grant St. Electricity and gas, street assessments all paid. A bargain. $2250 on easy terms. Phone Y 1550. 8-tf

FOR SALE:—Horse and fresh cow at 1517 Jackson St. 13-3

FOR SALE:—Horse. Call at 1320 Kinney, Phone X 1674. 14-3

FOR SALE:—312 acres of good farm and timber land. On Wingo, 2 miles east of Fire Brick. $5.00 per acre: all or part. Henry Castle, Fire Brick, Ky. 14-3

FOR SALE:—2 house boats. Call Hotel Portsmouth or Phone 208 14-3

FOR SALE:—Ford roadster. Call at Winter's Shoe Store. 14-2

FOR SALE:—Houses and lots in all parts of city; also several houses and large lots Sciotoville and Longmeadow. See W. H. Shonkwiler. Phone X 1582. 14-6

FOR SALE:—Cheap. High grade upright piano, leaving city. No. 1408 17th St. 5-tf

FOR SALE:—Peaches at Dalton Bros House phone 153. 10tf

FOR SALE:—4 room cottage, cistern, bath complete, 1817 Summitt. Phone A 1435. 10tf

FOR SALE:—Beautiful house on Hilltop. Phone Y 647 or A 480. 15tf

FOR SALE:—New house on Hill Top car line, east of Grandview. Six rooms and bath, reception hall, pantry, stairway to attic, attic floored, hot and cold water in basement, $3,000. Call Y-1232. 12-10t

FOR SALE:—Small supply of stereotype mats. Better than paper for laying under carpets. The Times Office. 4-tf

Insurance Information MOVED?

If you have moved from your old location, DO NOT FAIL to take your fire insurance policy to your agent and have an endorsement placed on your policy covering in the new location.

If you have no fire insurance you had better get some. The Fire Fiend is no respector of persons and comes when least expected. Better let us protect you.

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Fine 5-room cottage, Robinson Avenue, near Park; bath, pantry, reception hall, gas and electric lights, front and rear porch, hardwood floors, newly papered, vacant $3,550

Large 6-room house, Fifth street, near Brown; bath, reception hall, pantry, furnace, gas and electric lights, slate roof, large garage, lot [illegible] ft. front, vacant $4,200

Good 5-room house, Offnere street, near Eleventh; water, gas, cistern, two cabinet mantels, 2 story barn, street assessments all paid; $[illegible] cash, balance as rent $2,500

Fine building lots on the Boulevard, 40x 18[illegible], near paved pike, fine for garden or chickens; easy terms or will trade for city property; price $300 to $600.

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Houses and lots in all parts of the city. Cash or easy terms. Loans arranged.

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For two weeks The Morning Star will be circulated FREE to every home in Portsmouth and surrounding towns. All subscriptions will begin AFTER this free trial period.

THE STAR WILL SHINE IN SEPTEMBER.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES

Board meeting this evening at the parsonage. Mrs. Crooks invites the wives of the officers. Deacons' helpers also expected.

The Loyal Daughters will meet at the church this evening at 7:15.

K. N. DeLong will lead the meeting Wednesday evening. Topic, "On What Are You Building."

The Loyal Daughters of Ruth will give a lawn social Thursday evening at 1551 Gallia. Ice cream and cake will be served. Tickets ten cents.

Members of the C. E. social, sunshine, calling and temperance committees will meet Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, 1208 Chillicothe street.

Section One meets Monday evening with Mrs. Schnekel, 614 Market street.

Section Two will give a picnic Thursday afternoon at Millbrook park. Every member expected. Members of the other sections are cordially invited.

Section Three will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. Bowser, 1121 Tenth street.

Section Four met today at one o'clock with Mrs. Black on Campbell avenue.

Section Five will meet with Mrs. Gerlach Thursday afternoon at two o'clock.

Choir practice Friday evening.

FOR RENT:—3 room cottage, Boundary St. W. L. Baker, Phone X 902. Ohio Valley Bank 17-3

FOR RENT:—Two 2-story, six room houses, bath, laundry, will paper to suit tenant. No large family desired. Apply 502 Campbell. Phone 1628. 13tf

FOR RENT:—8 room house, water, gas, cistern, large barn, 1126 8th St. Good location, no bath. Can be used for two families. Phone 264. Otto Zoellner & Bro. 13tf

FOR RENT:—4 room house Kendall avenue, near 8th. Phone B 193. 11tf

FOR RENT:—7 room house on 6th St. All modern conveniences. Apply 1528 Gallia St. 14-3

FOR RENT:—Two 6 room houses, all modern. Campbell avenue. C. S. Cadot Agency, Room 225 Masonic Temple. 15-2

FOR RENT:—4 room house, 816 Front St.
4 room flat, 919 Front.
4 room house, 1128 Front.
4 room house, 937 Mill.
4 room house, 1111 3rd St.
6 room house, 1909 Jackson.
3 room flat, 2027 5th.
6 room house, 907 Kendall.
4 room house, 2338 8th, rear.
Store room on Gallia. C. S. Cadot Agency. Room 225 Masonic Temple. 15-2

LOST

LOST:—Pocket book containing $1.00 bill and other money between B. & O. station and Front St. Call B 1579. Reward. 17-3

LOST:—Bunch of keys between Stockdale and Portsmouth. Finder please notify James E. Starlin, 1323 Park Ave. 17-3

LOST:—Last Wednesday somewhere on Hutchins or Highland Ave. a pair of nose glasses with gold chain and pin attached. Reward. Phone A 762. 15-2

LOST:—$5.00 bill on Chillicothe St. Phone 1606. Reward. 14-2

Modern Education.

A prominent school principal lately told us some of the answers found in pupils' examination papers. Here are two of them. "What is a volcano?" "A volcano is a mountain that sometimes blows the equator off." "What is the difference between a mountain and a hill?" "A hill is like a mountain, only a mountain is a little more hillier."

Laughter a Tonic.

Laughter has its place in every wholesome, healthy life. A man who never smiles is morbid. He has lost the joy chords out of his life. He has trained himself to think only of unpleasant things, to look only and always at the dark side. He has accustomed himself so long to sadness that the muscles of his face have become set in hard, fixed lines, and cannot relax themselves.

Brehmer, The Painter, can give you prompt service in painting your house. adv 6tf

FOR SALE:—Two story house and two lots on Campbell Ave. Also 1 horse. 1901 Jackson. 17-3

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NEW BOSTON

Ira Fenner, Gallia pike liveryman, who lost heavily in the bad fire that visited the village over a month ago, is busily trying to trace a horse and buggy that he hired out one week ago last Saturday. The man gave the name of Ridenour when he hired the horse and buggy for just one day. Fenner thought that the fellow would turn up after several days had elapsed, but when Saturday night rolled around and the stranger had not put in his appearance with the outfit Fenner swore out a warrant for his arrest before Squire William McManes. Fenner was in Buena Vista last Saturday and while there was acquainted with the fact that a man answering the description of the missing man had tried to dispose of an outfit there that morning. He returned Saturday night, and in company with Marshal Will I. Davis, left for Vanceburg, Ky., Monday, where they expected to locate their man. A large stock sale is being held in Vanceburg and it is thought that the stranger would try to trade or sell the horse and buggy at the sale.

Deputy Marshal Martin Hall is filling the place of Marshal Will I. Davis, who is in Vanceburg on business.

J. I. Marsh's new six-room brick dwelling on Vine street is rapidly nearing completion. A brick veranda received it's finishing touches Monday afternoon.

Ben Emerman, former Gallia pike saloonist, will dispose of his household goods at public auction Saturday. He has decided to go West in order to improve his health.

The two-story, 11-room house on East Rhodes avenue, belonging to D. L. Webb, has been completed and is ready for occupancy. The house is built for two families.

William Cottle and Frank Cottle, who have been conducting a small restaurant on Gallia pike and Center streets, have purchased the lot on the south side of Gallia pike, just east of Mayor J. S. Davis' new picture theater. The lot has a frontage of 36 feet on Gallia pike and is 120 feet deep. The purchase price was $900. L. D. York was the former owner of the lot. A building 11 feet by 20 feet is being erected and will be used for a dining-room. The present building will be moved to the rear of the new structure and will be used for a kitchen.

The open hearth department of the steel plant resumed operations Sunday morning at 6 a. m., as did the plate mill. The Blooming mill started with a full force Sunday evening at 6 o'clock. All sheet and jobbing mills except No. 3 resumed operations Sunday at midnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bercham, of East Rhodes avenue, are visiting relatives in Richmond, Ind. Richard Bercham, a brother of Charles Bercham, is very low and not expected to survive at his home in Richmond.

Miss Lucy McCormick, of Ohio avenue, returned to her duties as teacher in the Quincy, Ky., school, Monday, after spending Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McCormick.

The work of paving Gallia pike from Sciotoville to the east corporation line of the village is nearly completed. The concrete base for the paving has been completed to the corporation line.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Helfenbein and children and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Colvin spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Lucy Snowden, in South Portsmouth, and enjoyed an old-fashioned kitchen dinner.

Mrs. Rufus Hoppes and daughter, Ethel Theobold, of Rhodes avenue, are visiting friends and relatives in Columbus.

The Jr. O. U. A. M. will hold its regular weekly meeting at its hall on Ohio avenue Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. Arrangements will be made for a large attendance of this camp at the coming Jr. O. U. A. M. convention that is to be held in the city during the last of this month.

The village Board of Health will hold a special session in the council chamber in the town hall Tuesday evening at 7:30. All members are urged to be present as business of importance is to be transacted.

Charles Theobold, of East Rhodes avenue, spent Sunday in Ironton visiting friends.

The village council will meet in regular semi-monthly session Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. Bids on the $50,000 sewer bonds and the $12,000 water works and flood defense bonds are to be opened at this meeting. Several important ordinances will also be brought up for adoption.

Rev. Pearl Hughes, of the Baptist church, held services at the Sciotoville Baptist church Sunday afternoon.

Robert Poole, a former resident of this village, arrived home Saturday evening from Columbus, where he is employed in the largest postcard shop in the state. He always comes home in time to enjoy a day at the yearly Harrisonville reunion, which is generally held on August 17th. Bob will return to the Capital City Tuesday badly disappointed as he did not get to go to the reunion Saturday. It was the old story of getting dates mixed. It was the first time he missed attending the reunion for a number of years.

A number of the employees of the Sheet Metal Culvert company have been laid off for several days. The plant will resume in full by the last of the week.

Park Policeman George Dever is having his troubles with couples who persist in spooning in the evening near the ball park. Saturday evening he put no less than an even dozen couples to route. One couple was locked up by Dever. Mayor Davis stated Monday morning that he intended to break up the practice by enforcing heavy fines on all who are caught in the park.

Doctor Locates Here

Dr. John H. Ellison, formerly of Sardinia, Ohio, has located in this city and opened an office at the south-west corner of Grant and Franklin avenues, opposite the Hilltop engine house.

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An unusual picture taken in the very depths of African jungles. See these great wild beasts in nature.

Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Miss Wise.—I am a poor working girl and have but one room and a kitchen. I would like to know if I could be taken to a picture show by an old schoolmate of mine and then take him to my little home and talk about old times like the rich folks do, without the police coming and raiding my little home?
FROM A POOR WORKING GIRL.

No doubt your motives are the best and you have a moral and legal right to take your friend to your room, but people will talk. The police could not raid your room, but it would be better to have a chaperone. If that is impossible, I suggest that you permit the young man to see you in the room, but leave the door open.

Dear Miss Wise.—I have been keeping company with a girl for about six months and I loved her dearly and she said that she loved me better than any boy she ever went with, but the other day I find that her other fellow came in and she would not pay any attention to me. Now the other fellow is gone. What would you do?
DECEIVED.

Of course you are broken hearted and the world looks blue to you. My advice is stay away from her and if she cares for you at all she will repent. A girl that will deceive you once will do it again. Then you may have been mistaken in her attentions to another young man. Make sure of this before acting on my advice. A girl that has two young men courting her while she professes preference for only one, is hardly to be trusted.

Dear Miss Wise.—I have been keeping company with a young man for about two years. My parents do not like him and say he is not worthy of my love, but we love each other dearly. We have tried to forget each other on that account, but every time we try to quit the more we think of each other. We both live here and work every day and I never heard any one speak a word against him, but there was a young man who told a lie to my people about him to get in good himself, as he knew they did not like him, so they would fuss with me about it. So he asked this young man about it in front of his girl, so she would know he told a lie, and he could get no other chance and my people thought that was a disgrace. Do you think so? He is just a poor boy, but treats me nice in all respects. I love no other and he says he don't. I do not enjoy myself with any other boy. He says he will not go with any other girl. We are engaged to be married. He has asked my people what they have against him and they won't tell him. He says he will do anything for me, so please advise me. Would you listen to your people or not? Thank you.
N. Y. Z.

Sometimes the parents learn more than their children about the young men who are keeping company with them. On the other hand I think your parents should make sure of the charges against your sweetheart before they try to persuade you not to keep company or marry him. The young man is entitled to know just what they hold against him. From your description of him he must be very frank or he would not ask them for their reasons for opposing him. Although he used a little indiscretion in confronting his accuser in front of his girl, he may have been guided by an uncontrollable temper made so by false accusations. I do not advise you to go against the wish of your parents, would try and convince them of your confidence in him. The fact that he is poor and works every day is not to his discredit. It isn't always the rich that make the best husbands. Your parents are surely open to reason and I would try to make them believe that the young man's reputation is unreproachable if you are so confident of it. There are just such people in the world who try to upset other people's plans by poisoning their minds against somebody altogether innocent.

Dear Miss Wise.—Is the electric needle a satisfactory remedy for hairs on the face, or is a depilatory as good?
FRANCES C. B.

I know that the use of a depilatory has only a temporary effect, and know nothing concerning the electric needle. You had better consult a skin specialist.

Dear Miss Wise.—How do you clean white felt hats?
READER.

Take a bottle of the white shoe dressing (the kind used for canvas shoes), apply the dressing with a sponge, being careful to get it even all over. Put in the sun to dry.

When dry brush lightly with a soft brush. You will be pleased with the result.

Dear Miss Wise.—I am a stenographer and my hands are very dry and hard. I am afraid that the skin will crack open. What will help them.
STENO.

Glycerine and rose water and lemon juice is a good lotion for the hands. Ask the druggist to increase the proportion of the glycerine over that usually used in putting up the combination.

Dear Miss Wise.—How should a young man give an engagement ring to his fiancee? Does he put it on her finger, and if so, should he kiss her hand when he does so?
READER.

Young man, you have been studying the operation in the movies. Yes, that's a very good way of doing it, though the way doesn't matter so much as just the fact that it is done, and no girl would say that the particular way that her fiance had chosen wasn't the nicest way.

Dear Miss Wise.—What are the different wedding anniversaries?
TWO SCHOOL GIRLS.

First year, paper; fifth year, wooden; tenth year, tin; twelfth year, leather; fifteenth year, crystal; twentieth year, china; twenty-fifth year, silver; thirtieth year, ivory; fortieth year, woolen; forty-fifth year, silk; fiftieth year, golden; seventy-fifth year, diamond.

Dear Miss Wise—Must my husband pay part of a bill that I owe for medical service, rendered before I was married?
VERY ANXIOUS.

Your husband could not be compelled by law to do so, but you yourself feel the obligation of this bill and ask him to help you pay it if you have no other way of doing so.

Dear Miss Wise.—If a young man writes to a girl whom he loves but whom he has met but once, should he begin the letter "Dear (name)," or use a more affectionate expression? How should he close his letter?
C. K.

It would be more discreet to use the former beginning. Let him close the letter as follows: "Very sincerely," or "very truly," or simply "your friend," followed by the name.

Dear Miss Wise.—I have been married 11 years and during most of this time we have had some of my husband's relatives with us, as high as six at a time. My husband's sister was happily married but her father was the cause of her separation, because he wanted her to keep house for him in his old age. But instead of ... he brought her and her three-year-old girl to our house and left them with us. I have had several operations which have left me very weak, and it is all I can do to do my work. Don't you think she ought to help me? She doesn't do a thing and when I complain to my husband he says mean things to me. Please advise me, as I am a wreck.
ALICE.

You aren't receiving fair treatment. It isn't right that you should be imposed upon by your husband's relatives. Of course this relative should help with the work. Insist that she does. Do not make a slave of yourself for anyone.

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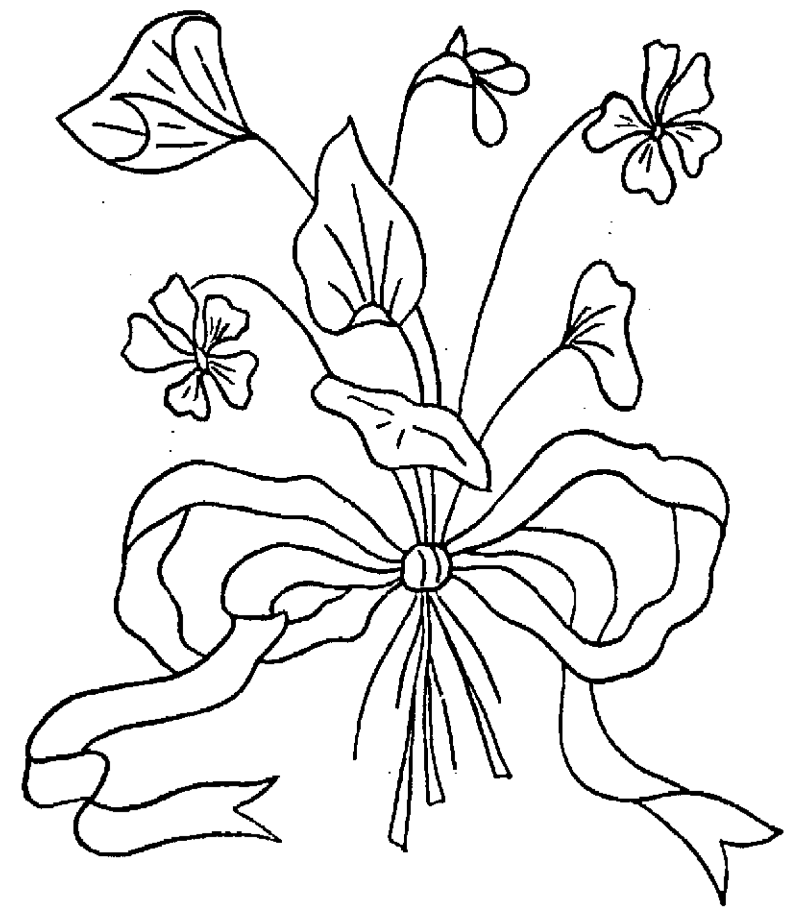

In the motif for book cover, the flowers and leaves are solidly worked and the ribbon and stems are done in the outline stitch. Use mercerized cotton No. 18.

DIRECTIONS FOR TRANSFERRING

In taking off these patterns, lay a piece of impression paper upon the material, place the newspaper pattern over this, and with a hard, sharp pencil draw firmly over each line. If the material is sheer it may be laid over the pattern and drawn off with pencil, as the design will show through.

No patterns of these designs are available.

SOCIETY

Miss M... of ... street, has ... a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. ... Williams and daughter, Mary, have returned from a pleasant visit with relatives and friends in Marion, O.

Mr. and Mrs. ... Fourth street, and ... have returned from a visit in Columbus.

... King's Farm, at ...

Mrs. Frank Turner and three children of Columbus, are guests of Mrs. Joe Turner, of Summit street.

... Highland ... Mr. and Mrs. ...

An item of interest to a good many Portsmouth people is as follows:

Miss Georgia Forest Price, ... Mr. and Mrs. John H. ... Woodland avenue ... W. Atkinson ...

For the pleasure of Miss Margaret Dragan, whose marriage to Mr. Pearl Milstead is expected to occur some time in the near future, Miss Myrtle Zeigler entertained the girls of the Portsmouth Steel company at her home Friday evening. The guests, who presented Miss Dragan with a handsome gift, a casserole, in honor of the coming event, were Misses Carrie Swearengin, Mildred Clayton, Edna Bauer, Jessie Miller, Blanche McDaniels, Orpha Knapp and her sister, Miss Bess Knapp, as a guest. Delightful refreshments were served by the hostess.

Miss Gertrude Bender is spending her two weeks' vacation at Camp Washington, near Rushtown.

Carl Graf left Sunday for Toledo, where he will be the guest of his college friend, Mr. H. K. Beckwith.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grassman and family motored to Adams County Mineral Springs yesterday where they spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rottinghaus and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Conroy and children motored to Camp Arion yesterday, where they spent the day as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hopkins and Mr. and Mrs. Corney Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Doty and family and Miss Kate McConnell motored to Mineral Springs yesterday, where they spent the day. Mr. and Mrs. Doty's little daughter, Gladys, remained there for a few days to accompany home her aunt, Miss Gladys Evans, who has been a guest there for two weeks.

One of the most delightful social events of the season was the dance at the Elks' parlors Saturday evening, given by Miss Mary Varner in honor of her house guests, Miss Olive Koehler and Miss Bettie Meyers, of Cincinnati. The Journey Trio furnished the music, which was very much enjoyed by the sixty young people who attended. The out-of-town guests who came here Saturday for the dance and to remain over Sunday, were Miss Jane Butterfield and Miss Margaret Martin, of Cincinnati; Miss Louise Crawford, of Ironton, and Messrs. Stewart Peabody and Walter Hopkins, of Cincinnati; John Foster, of Jackson, and Mr. Thompson, of Ironton. During the evening punch was served and at the intermission other refreshments of delicious cool ices and cake were enjoyed by the guests.

Agent R. E. Scott and family, of the N. & W., Ed Gardner, N. & W. engineer, and Clanton Hancock, N. & W. electrician, and their families have gone to Diamond Park, Interlochen, Mich., for a two weeks' outing.

Miss Mayme Phillippi, of Sixth and Glover streets, left today for Columbus to spend a two weeks' vacation from her duties in the office of the Selby Shoe factory with her sister, Mrs. William Huske, of the Capital City.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Eberts, who have been the guests of Mrs. H. Rader, of Court street, returned to their home in Columbus, O.

Miss Lucile Weber, of Ashland, Ky., has returned home after a week's visit with Miss Eva Rader, of 821 Court street.

Miss Eva Rader has left for Ironton, Huntington, Maysville and Columbus to spend a three weeks' vacation.

Miss Fannie Pauline Lyean returned to her home Sunday at Ferguson, W. Va., after an extended visit to her sisters, Mrs. C. F. Kettinger, of Grandview avenue, and Mrs. Freelin Hampton, of Baird avenue. Miss Lyean was accompanied home by Mrs. Hampton and little daughter, Bernice.

Miss Helen Worthington is visiting relatives in Columbus and will stay until after the State Fair.

Little Miss Thelma Gilkerson, of Seventh street, left Sunday for an extended visit to her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. James Gilkerson, of Chillicothe, Ohio.

Mrs. Charles Cole and children, Thomas and Hazel Margaret, of 17 Bond street, went to Wheelersburg Sunday to visit her brother, Mr. Howard Peters. They were accompanied home by little Miss Jean Cole, who has been a guest at her uncle's home for two weeks.

Miss Margaret Quinn returned home this evening after a pleasant two weeks' outing at Sandusky, Cedar Point and Put-In Bay. While at Cedar Point Miss Quinn rendered a series of musical entertainments, which were very much appreciated by the guests.

Miss Nell Turley expects to leave tomorrow for a few days' visit with Miss Louise Crawford, of Ironton.

Mrs. John Morgan and daughter, Ruth, of Cincinnati, are visiting Miss Beatrice Stewart, of Offnere street.

Mrs. A. B. Gardner, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Lanisa Rauch, of Third street, for the past four weeks, returned to her home at Lexington, Ky., Saturday.

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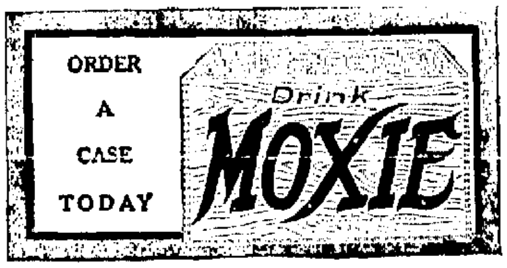

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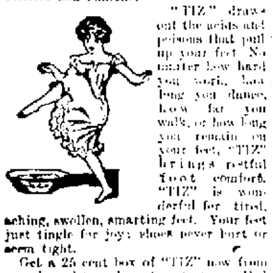

"TIZ" draws out the acids and poisons that puff up your feet. No matter how hard you work, how long you dance, how far you walk, or how long you remain on your feet, "TIZ" brings restful foot comfort. "TIZ" is wonderful for tired, aching, swollen, smarting feet. Your feet just tingle for joy; shoes never hurt or seem tight.

Get a 25 cent box of "TIZ" now from any druggist or department store. End foot torture forever—wear smaller shoes, keep your feet fresh, sweet and happy.

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60-inch Bleached Damask, yard 25c
64-inch fine Mercerized Damask 39c
64-inch All Linen Damask (one half bleached) 50c
72-inch fine Mercerized Damask 50c
72-inch Bleached Pure Linen Satin Damask 75c
Full size Huck Towels 10c
Small Huck Towels 5c
Turkish Towels, Bleached and Hemmed 10c
Extra weight Bleached Turkish Towels for 15c
Linen finish Unbleached Crash 5c
Pure Linen Crash, extra heavy 10c
Bleached Pure Linen Crash 10c
Embroidered Scarfs and Squares 25c
6-foot Cloth Window Shades 25c
Lace Curtains at big reductions.

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New Fall Rugs

9x12 Room Size Tapestry Brussels Rugs, splendid assortment of patterns, at $10.00
9x12 Velvet Rugs $14.50
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27x54 Hearth Tapestry Rugs 98c
Rag Rugs all sizes.
Tapestry Rugs, all sizes.
9x12 Ingrain Rugs $4.25
Yard-wide Ingrain Carpets 25c
Ingrain and Tapestry Stair and Hall Carpets.
Floor Oil Cloth, all widths, per square yard 25c
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"IN TUNE WITH THE WILD"
KATHLYN WILLIAMS AND A HORDE OF WILD ANIMALS
TO-MORROW--"MARY PICKFORD" IN "THE WOMAN FROM MELLONS"

Rev. Marting Preaches On the Liquor Quesiton

Speaking on "the tactics of the devil," Rev. Albert Marting of the Fourth Street M. E. church last evening "side-swiped booze and the liquor business" and ripped things up considerably. He said the tempter of men was still what John in Revelation 20:9 called him, "that old serpent, called the Devil, and Satan, which deceiveth the whole world." After saying that the tactics of this gentleman were still of the serpent's kind, wily; that he was truly the devil, slandering and falsely accusing good men and God particularly, just as he had done in tempting Adam and Eve, and that he is Satan, the enemy of every man, deceiving in order to destroy; he attacked what he termed one of the devil's chief disguises, the liquor business. He said it was not men but the devil in men he was opposing. God loves those men and wants to save them, if they will be saved; but the devil in them should be cast out and his business destroyed.

One of the tactics of the devil in the disguise of booze, he said, was to attempt to inculcate fear among men opposed to alcohol. He here mentioned the suggestion made at the eleventh brewers' day of Germany to boycott doctors who were anti-alcohol. He also told of letters received by his father, former mayor of Berea, Ohio, threatening him with death if he continued to prosecute and heavily fine violators of the liquor laws. He said that already some men of this city are fearing boycott if they follow the dictates of their consciences and oppose the saloon.

Questioning the tactics of sincere men was named as another of the tactics of the devil secreted in booze. He quoted from Mr. Andreae, a defender of the saloon, as follows: "Who is shouting loudest for those laws which aim to make men virtuous by compulsion? The reformed libertine, who, above all others, is claiming the power to regulate our personal habits and make all men sober and honest by law? The reformed gambler and drunkard. Who is clamoring most noisily for the right to direct us, by legislative enactment, into the paths of righteousness? The reformed crook." Now if this were true, said the speaker, I would prefer trusting the reformed libertine, the reformed gambler and drunkard, and the reformed crook to placing my trust in the unreformed libertine, gambler, drunkard, crook.

"The devil also said a few years ago that the Anti-Saloon League was opposed to prohibition because that would put it out of business. Does it look that way now?

Another of the traps to catch the unwarry that the devil succeeds in getting liquor men to use is the misleading term. We hear about Home-rule on the liquor question, when Rum rule and Home-ruin is meant. Innocent looking words like 'upon any other contingency,' and 'thereon' are placed in proposed wet amendments in order to nullify laws that the public does not want nullified, when the English language can be made so plain. Business Men's Leagues sign advertisements when the public feels that Booze Men's League would do better, for short. And now, according to the Cincinnati Enquirer, an attorney-general who happens to have won a nomination for higher office, over out-and-out opponents, tells us that the [illegible] amendment only effects the Rose county option law, when a number of competent judges have already told us that it is alive [illegible] law-destroying vermin, and everyone who can read knows that it is as clear as muddy water. By the way, is there any difference of opinion as to what the Prohibition amendment will do?

"Another of the foolers of the [illegible] mentioned was the claim that Prohibition does not prohibit. Here a letter was read from the Commissioner of Prohibition of West Virginia which was a reply to the Times' joke about the [illegible] "blind tigers" now to be found in West Virginia, which reads: "If any of your friends think the clipping you sent is true, let them come into this state and try their hand at running a blind-tiger and we can show them very much better than we can tell you." What is all this agitation about anyway, if prohibition does not prohibit? Why not run a blind tiger in a prohibition state instead of an open saloon and save the tax of $1,000?

"Sometimes the devil simply resorts to plain prevarication, as when a statement of Kaiser Wilhelm, whom everyone knows to be dry, in which he rejoices that chemists have learned to make rubber out of alcohol and says: 'Let us hope that in the future less alcohol will be drunk so that there may be enough left over for rubber' appears in the liberal papers as follows: 'See to it that enough alcohol is left over (for drink).'

"This is the way the devil in disguise works us on the booze question. It is only seldom that he comes out in the open and allows us to see him plainly, as the papers report him to be doing on the Pacific coast at present. They tells us that Emma Goldman in speaking out there against prohibition, also ridiculed chastity, saying that it leads to insanity, criticised the Catholic church for its stringent marriage laws, and advised her to secure housekeepers for all her clergy. Let us hope that Emma will be brought here this fall. She would be a great vote getter for prohibition, as in such case no one could wonder what the devil is trying to do with the booze business."

In conclusion Mr. Marting prayed that "God would help the church and Christians to save the men and women whom the devil is using to ruin men through booze and give them power to destroy the devil's business and drive him to cover."

FRENCH SQUADRON SINKS TWO SHIPS

Nish, Servia, Aug. 17.—The Servian war office announced today that a naval battle was fought in the Adriatic Sea on Sunday by warships of Austria and France and that the Austrians were defeated.

The war office official statement follows: "A naval battle between French and Austrian warships began off Buda, Austria, in the Adriatic at 9 o'clock Sunday morning. The French squadron coming from the southwest attacked the Austrian warships. Two Austrian ironclads were sunk, one was set on fire and a fourth fled northward to Cattaro. The fight lasted over an hour."

London, Aug. 17.—Official war bureau confirms the fact that French fleet has been in action. The French swept the Adriatic as far north as Cattara, the best harbor in that sea, which the fleet now dominates. The fleet has sunk a small Austrian cruiser. Earlier receipt from Nish said French fleet had sunk Austrian iron-clads and put two others in flight. The sunken cruiser was manned by 305 men.

Rome, Aug. 17—British Mediterranean fleet is off the Austrian naval base of Pola in the Adriatic sea and the bombardment of the defenses there is expected. The British fleet of battle cruisers chased the Austrian fleet to Pola but was unable to catch them. The British cruisers are expected to try out the defense of forts with heavy guns. Efforts to identify two Austrian warships reported sunk were unsuccessful.

London, Aug. 17.—A dispatch from Havas agency, says French troops occupied the town of Schirmeck, beyond Falles in Alsace. They took 12 field guns, 12 caissons and 8 rapid fire guns. The French cavalry pushed on to Mulbach and Lutzelhausen.

GERMAN CAVALRY IN A DARING DASH

Brussels, Aug. 17—The Belgian war office announced today that the German cavalry, which had been defeated in previous fighting, attempted on Sunday to take the offensive against the front, after being reinforced, but were driven back to Wavre.

This dispatch is regarded as most significant in view of the fact that Wavre is only 15 miles southeast of Brussels.

It indicates that despite the continued claims of victory, made by the Belgian war office, the Germans have been able to push their front steadily forward toward the Belgian capital. Wavre is near the battlefield of Waterloo and it was there that the French unsuccessfully engaged the Prussians in one of the engagements prior to the main battle.

Forward Movement Of Germans Halts; Campaign Changed

Brussels, Aug. 17—Halt in the forward movement of the German army war reported today. The infantry remained in position in an irregular line and covered the entire eastern Belgian frontier. Scouts were active but only to determine the strength of the Belgians.

The German forces are about to strike and strike hard in an effort to advance into France at Lille, Maubeuge and at Mezeries. The offensive movement may come at any moment. Until noon today the war office states no general attack had been made and air scouts reported the enemy maintaining their advance positions.

The strength of Germany's army now in force is very great. It comprises the army of the Meuse, the first army of the Moselle which operated through Luxemburg and in the northern part of Belgium. Luxemburg and the second army of the Moselle which moved west of Luxemburg. It is believed that the first army of Moselle is near Dinant.

RELIEF FOR TOURISTS

London, Aug. 17.—Henry S. Breckenridge, Assistant Secretary of War of the United States, announced today that he would place $300,000 in the hands of Ambassador Page for the relief of Americans in the British Isles. He expects to leave Falmouth for Rotterdam on the Cruiser Tennessee and hopes to reach Germany by this route. The cruiser North Carolina will proceed to Cherebourg, where Major Charles Helekin will take charge of relief work in France.

OIL DROPS.

Pittsburgh, August 17.—Oil dropped a dollar a barrel since April 17. Pennsylvania crude oil dropped another 55 cents today, the fifth cut since the war began.

GERMAN LINER CAPTURED

New York, Aug. 17.—A message from Santos, Brazil, posted at the Maritime exchange announces that the Hamburg steamship Santa Cassarina of the South American service was captured by British cruiser. The message did not give the name of the cruiser or what port the prize was being taken to.

NEW POSTMASTER

Washington, Aug. 17—President Wilson nominated today for postmaster at Williamson, W. Va., W. M. Cole.

TURKEY GETS ACTIVE

London, Aug. 17.—Official dispatches say Greece received information that Turkish troops are crossing Bulgarian territory and marching in direction of Greece. The Hellenic government in consequence of reports notified Turkey that if news concerned corresponding military and naval measures will be taken immediately by Greece.

CUT MEAT DECLINES

Chicago, Aug. 17.—Coincident with the opening of the Federal investigation into the advance in the prices, cut meat at stock yards declined 25 to 30 per cent today.

FOUR SHOE FACTORIES CLOSE

St. Louis, Aug. 17.—Four of the five shoe factories in St. Louis of the International shoe company, did not open today and the reason given was the European war as the indirect cause.

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EXCELSIOR FOREMEN HAVE BIG TIME AT THEIR OUTING

The foremen of the Excelsior Shoe company had their outing Saturday afternoon at Coney Island. The affair was a complete success. The features of the afternoon were a ball game, sack race, lean man's race and fat man's race. There was a lively time from start to finish.

Hobstetter's Nickel Plates were defeated by West's Clippers, the score being 20 to 18. The line-up was as follows: Nickel Plates—Hobstetter p, Ross c, Reinhart lf, Schmidt cf, Revare ss, Gordon rf, Murphy 1b, Petry 2b, Guilkey 3b; Clippers Gowdy p, Dawson c, Morgan lf, Bishop cf, West ss, Rickey rf, Flowers 1b, Watkins 2b, Williams 3b.

The game was umpired by J. E. Williams, who gave fair decisions on both sides, but the Nickel Plates were angered by a decision in the fifth inning and were about to mob the umpire. Order was finally restored after they had compromised by giving the batter his base.

Features—Fielding by Gordon, home run by Ed Morgan, batting by Ed Rickey, who got four safe hits out of five times at bat, two of which were good for extra bases, one being a three sacker. Frank Revare played a good game at short. When he couldn't get the runner out any other way, he crossed him out.

Billy Doyle was there looking them over, but he didn't see any that he thought could be used except Frank Bishop and Bob Dawson, who might get on as water boys.

The entries and results of the races were as follows:

Lean Man's Race—Ed Rickey, Brooks Gowdy, John Petry, Ed Guilkey, Bruce West and Houston Williams. Rickey the winner.

Fat Man's Race—Wm. Pucket, William Gordon, Harry Flowers, Bob Dawson, Albert Schmidt and Ed Morgan. Smith the winner.

Sack Race—Pucket, Gordon, Schmidt, Williams, Rickey and Gowdy. Gordon the winner.

RUSSIA STILL OUT.

Washington, Aug. 17. Germany has acknowledged the receipt of President Wilson's proffer of good offices in mediation or arbitration. All warring countries except Russia replied.

GERMANS BURN A TOWN

London, Aug. 17.—The Daily News correspondent at Rotterdam declares that the town of Vise, Belgium, was burned by the Germans after the inhabitants had fired on the invaders. It is declared that six Germans were killed and six wounded when the inhabitants fired on the soldiers. Residents were driven from their homes and the women and children placed on a train and sent away. The men were held as prisoners of war. The women and children were sent away with merely the clothing that they wore and will have to be taken care of.

For Clergymen Only.

Ministers would meet with more success if they know as much about this world as they think they know about the next.—Lippincott's.

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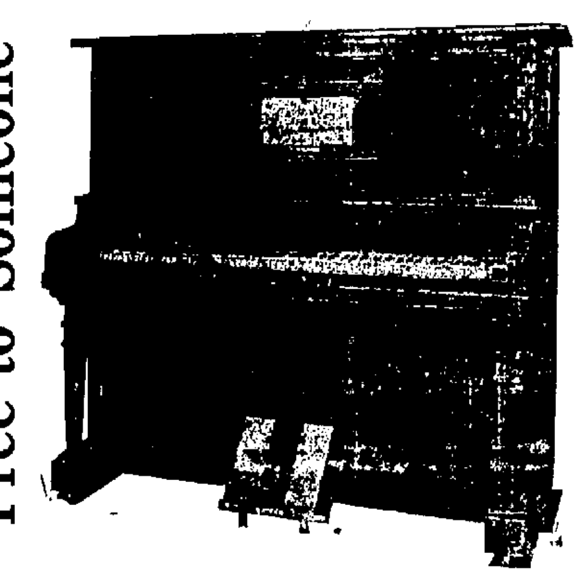
The friends and relatives of Mrs. Rachel Dodds gave her quite a surprise Sunday in honor of her birthday. Mrs. Dodds, not suspecting anything, as the anniversary of her birthday was not until the following Tuesday. The event was one exceptionally enjoyable. The following were present: Mrs. Rachel Dodds, Mr. and Mrs. Heber Dodds and daughter, Elsie, of Portsmouth; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dodds and children, Edna, Roy and Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. John Kallner, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Corriell and sons, Jake and John, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Brown and daughters, Marie and Elma, Mrs. J. C. Walker, Mrs. James Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walker and daughters, Hazel and Pansy, Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Allen and daughters, Fay, Rowena and Elaine, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Purdy and son Elmo.

Free to Someone



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Special Train Thursday–The fair management has arranged for a special train over the N. & W. for Thursday. Train will leave depot at Tenth and Waller streets, at 1 o'clock sharp. Returning will leave grounds at 5:30. All trains stop at the grounds.

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Miss Ruth Jackson Writes Entertainingly Of European Situation

Letters received by Mrs. Robert Kyle from her sister, Miss Ruth Jackson, who with a party of friends were left stranded in Europe when the European war broke out, contain encouraging news to the effect that the party is making excellent progress [illegible] slow stages home. But the letters also contain graphic accounts of the inconvenience the party was forced to undergo, due to the chaotic state of the continent.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Kyle, the Times is permitted to publish extracts from Miss Jackson's letters, telling of the experiences they encountered, all of which will be of deep interest to Miss Jackson's many local friends. The extracts follow:

Cologne, July 28.—We arrived here at proper time, after a most disagreeable day on the Rhine. I am insensible to wonder that the sun never shines in Germany, for the rain has simply poured every day since we left the Italian lakes. Consequently, it has been cold, raw and quite thoroughly miserable. But we pile on sweaters and rain coats, [illegible] and wade forth, and are mostly dried out if I don't freeze. Check we had at Doly. The papers are full of nothing but the Austrian Serbian affair; the streets are thronged with people reading the late bulletins, and everybody seems overjoyed at the prospect of war. The Paris papers have almost forgotten Mme Caillaux and in their excitement over the possibility of France's being dragged into the muddle. It looks [illegible] as though to rumors were the force behind the machine. "Do we say in Ohio?"

Amsterdam, July 30.—And here we are in Holland! Oh, if you could only be here, too, in this land of windmills and windmills! We came yesterday morning from Cologne and I shall stay until Saturday. Everybody seems to be waiting—even these dear little Dutch people are getting excited. Every one seems to think that Germany is promoting the trouble in order to get into war with France. The trains are simply jammed with people leaving Austria and Germany. We are not anticipating any difficulty in getting into France, though, so please don't be worrying about us. Just remember that even if all Europe should become involved in war, we are in a civilized country and that the Stars and Stripes are a protection a battleship, when it comes to protection.

London, August 2.—By this time you know more about it than we do, the knowledge of which is causing us a great deal of anxiety, for we know what the worst means and we are afraid you would be sick with worry. It has been thrilling, certainly! When we got back to Amsterdam from the Isle of Marken, Friday, we found the waiters at the hotel in a hubbub of excitement because they had been ordered to the nearest barracks. We went down to Cook's to get some money and the clerk there told us our last chance to leave Amsterdam would be that night at eight. It was six then, so we flew to the hotel, threw our things together, and rushed to the station, where we fought for places in the train. We had intended to go only as far as Antwerp, but in one of the stations Miss Nelson met a Dutch girl whom she knows, who was on her way to Paris, and she advised us to go, too. So we travelled all night and reached Paris at half-past six Saturday morning. There were all sorts of alarming rumors afloat there, but we went to the Louvre and saw a few of the most important things. Then, after being unable to have our traveller's checks cashed Miss Nelson decided to go to a bookstore where she owed a bill, hoping that we could get some money changed in that way. But it, too, was a vain attempt. The manager broke the news to us that war had become and that we couldn't get out of Paris for fifteen days. When we returned to the hotel, we found it in a turmoil, the waiters all gone and the concierge and proprietor all ready to leave as soon as they could get off. We found we could catch a train to Calais at the Gare du Nord the next morning, so at 7:45 we started. But we couldn't get a Gare or a carriage anywhere, so we had to carry all our baggage and rush for the subway. It's useless to try to describe how we finally got on the last train that left Paris. At Calais there was the same and chaos for the boat, but we got on and when we finally landed at Dover, at four o'clock, we were jubilantly happy in spite of the fact that we hadn't had a bite to eat since the day before and didn't have a dry stitch on us. The journey over the channel was the worst one Miss Nelson had ever experienced in the many times she had crossed, she says. We had to come over in a small boat, without any cabin shelter of any kind, and the waves simply washed over us most of the time. We were drenched when we reached Dover and so was our baggage.

We had a hard time finding rooms in London. Every hotel is crammed full. But we scored helping for the night and are in a fair way to get excellent rooms for the rest of the time, in a place where Miss Nelson has stayed before. We shall remain here about ten days and then try to go up into Scotland before our sailing date. Now, don't worry for the morning papers say that if the liners are kept from sailing, the United States will send army transports for all the tourists. The situation in Paris is dreadful. You can't get a cent of money any place, no matter how much you have in checks, or even French money. There are no taxis to be had, the hotels are closing, and tourists are fleeing to England. It is perfectly pitiful, the people. Miss Nelson said [illegible] in Paris. Dreadful [illegible] Anyhow, we have had a [illegible] adventure and shall always be glad we did it. We are [illegible] Germans more. We are [illegible] thankful to be out of it, for my heart aches for those at home [illegible] who are left.

[illegible] that as we were leaving Paris, a [illegible] man pulled [illegible] Miss Nelson [illegible] German. And it began to [illegible]

forced to get her out of the country [illegible] England on that train. So we took care of her, and I don't know what she would have done if we hadn't, for her son had not had time to buy her a through ticket, and Miss Nelson had to do it all for her. Her daughter met her in London, and it makes me thankful [illegible] I could hear that dear old soul's face lighted up when she saw some one whom she knew. We have been able to help several people in that way. We met an American doctor and his wife on our way from Amsterdam, who hadn't a cent of any but American money, so Miss Nelson let him have fifty francs.

I never realized to fare just what war means, but I guess my vote is with Sherman's every time. It is vastly more terrible than words can express, but since it had to happen, I am glad that we had the experience.

There is a rumor this morning that the Texas Atlantic liners from British ports have been called in. [illegible] We are not sure of them, for they will have to send their passengers on something and last night's papers say that President Wilson and Bryan are posted against online sears from ports over. So don't be surprised if there is no money difficulty here and we have plenty. We are about to move to our new lodgings [illegible]

BIG CROWD AT PICNIC

An immense crowd attended the picnic [illegible] at the Old Coney [illegible] and school [illegible] Coney Sunday. There were a number of speakers, and a fine program of vocal selections.

Boxing Bouts At Carnival

[illegible]

PAINS AROUND THE HEART

When the [illegible] weakness [illegible] Dr. [illegible] Heart Cure [illegible] Gas [illegible] Dizziness [illegible] Heart [illegible] Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills [illegible] Druggists [illegible]

Scioto County Fair To Be Grand Affair

All roads will lead to Lucasville this week, where the Scioto county Fair will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The management is authority for the statement that the exhibition this year will excel all others of a similar nature. The grounds are in excellent shape, and the many improvements made during the past year have added greatly to the appearance of the buildings, as well as to the convenience of those who expect to be in attendance.

Arrangements have been made to run a special train over the N. & W. on Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Returning, the train will leave the fair grounds at 5:30 o'clock. However, all N. & W. trains on the Scioto division will stop at the grounds, going and coming, which insures excellent facilities for Portsmouth people to attend the fair.

On Friday will be the baby show and the management has been quite liberal in the arranging of premiums. The winner of the baby boy [illegible] will receive $25 in gold, second prize, $2.50. The same arrangement has been made for the pretty girl babies. All contestants must be between the ages of one and eighteen months of age.

On Friday will also be the motorcycle race and not less than five entries will spin the track. Horse races every day during the fair, and it is thought the track record will be broken. The crowds will no doubt be enormous, as they generally are at this popular fair.

BAPTIST BIBLE CLASS

The attendance at the Men's Bible Class of the First Baptist church was considerably better, about two-thirds being present. To be exact 40 marked themselves present. It was another rousing lesson taught by Dr. T. H. McAfee.

The Wicked Husbandmen, Matt. 21:33-46. The vineyard is the kingdom of God, the householder is God the Father; the wicked husbandmen are the Jews, the servants are the prophets; the son is Jesus. Jesus was talking to the children of Israel or the Jews. There is no doubt but that Jesus Christ was the son referred to in this parable.

God knew how to plant a vineyard. So many people complain about their situation, they say, if I were only situated as he is I would do better towards God.

How many of you are satisfied with your position in life. Is [illegible] position in life you envy, if so, how many of you would like to assume his responsibility. I don't think there are many of us willing to carry his responsibility.

God built the vineyard and if we could work in it as we please we would be satisfied.

We wish to organize and leave God outside. The Jews had every thing but they pushed God outside of it.

Too many of us think we are doing the work and ought to reap the profits. We try to push the owner outside.

Our very breath depends on God.

The fruit time, there comes a time in every man's life to bear fruit, even as the vineyard has a time of fruit. Every individual has a messenger.

You would be a great aid to God if you would only hold him up God's messenger to you.

There are many people who of the service of God they would use it [illegible] in Christian work, but they do outside of it, they would be a great power.

Every one at times feel at some time our attitude toward God. [illegible] God's messenger.

We have to deal [illegible] God has [illegible] with a price. [illegible] is the precious blood of Jesus Christ.

Even as the cattle on a ranch are marked by the owner, God's work is marked in us. He owns you but does not possess you.

God puts his seal every man, but they do not stay at his process.

[illegible] Will deliver the goods [illegible] was bought from you to the [illegible] You are [illegible]

[illegible] refused to let God in [illegible] Jesus said if they [illegible] you, they will [illegible] the Cross, [illegible]

Comp'y M. Of W. O. W. Back With First Prize

Company M., River City Camp No. 29, of 117 Regiment, W. O. W. uniform rank, returned home from Port Huron, Mich., at midnight Sunday, bringing back the first prize in Class B competitive drill, having met and defeated the crack Ohio and Michigan teams. As evidence of their victory they have a handsome silver loving cup, now on display at the Wolff clothing store.

The Portsmouth team made a higher percentage than any other company, even in Class A. This puts them in Class A next year, when they will go to the National Encampment at San Francisco. They also took third prize in discipline, a fine yellow ribbon.

The local team also had the honor of putting on the "Protection" degree, with the sovereign officers in charge.

There will also be a reception in the hall Friday night in honor of the company.

Those making the trip included: Captain L. J. Janetsky, first lieutenant; Fletcher Rankins, second lieutenant; N. M. Shump, Chester Riggles, William Ryland, Jesse Williams, Lafayette Morris, W. H. Clark, Tolbert Hamilton, Grant Perry, Jesse Cooper, O. H. Dillow, Scott Poole, Dr. O. D. Tatje, captain of the hospital corps.

TO TRAVEL FOR R. D. WOOD & CO.

Walter Gableman has just returned from Burlington, N. J., where he closed up for a new position as traveling salesman for R. D. Wood & Co., shoe manufacturers. He will cover the same territory he had for the Brodt shoe company, Kentucky and Tennessee.

this class quite frequently here of late. We hope to make a regular of him.

Next Sunday all members are requested to bring a friend with them. As the weather is now cool it is expected the class room to overflow.

L. G.H.

CHAMPION "PERFECT" TOMATOES

Henry Becker, candidate for county recorder, on the Republican ticket, is somewhat of a farmer among other accomplishments, and Monday was exhibiting some choice specimens of the "tomato tribe" to prove his farming ability. While the tomatoes might not take first prize in the size class, they were hard to beat in the "perfect" line. They were all smooth, and without blemish.

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HOUSE DAMAGED AND FIRE CHIEF IS INJURED IN A SUNDAY BLAZE

Fire Chief W. A. McOuat was disabled in a fall while fighting a fire at the home of Harry G. Cranston, a Selby Shoe company fitting-room foreman, at No. 1625 Highland avenue, Sunday afternoon.

Stepping off a rear porch, the chief landed on a fire hose and his left foot turned, snapping a small bone of the ankle.

Dr. Ellison and Harry Baker picked him up and later Frank Baggs and Ernest Hamner carried him to James Bernthold's automobile which removed him to his home on Franklin avenue. The chief is now moving about his home with the aid of crutches, and meanwhile Assistant Chief Charles Huels is in temporary charge of the city fire department.

It was about one o'clock that smoke was discovered pouring from the eaves and roof of the Cranston home. The family had just finished dinner. Rev. Freeman Chase came running across the lawn and notified the astonished family that their home was on fire. Mrs. Cranston rushed to the attic, only to be driven back by stifling smoke. A still alarm was sent in and the Hill-top engine company did effective work from the start, though the whole roof was burned out and the attic, in which beds, mattresses, etc., had been stored, was completely gutted. Weather-boarding in other parts of the house was scorched, while much damage was done to wall-paper and the downstairs, generally, by smoke and water. Fortunately, neighbors and friends of the family had successfully removed all furniture and other effects from the house. The loss will exceed $500, fully covered by insurance.

While there is a gas jet in the room where a door opens into the attic, the family declare it was not lighted, and it is thought that the fire was caused by spontaneous combustion.

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Stole Tire Right Off An Automobile

W. E. Everson, a representative of the Shreve Chair company, of Union City, Pa., who is making an automobile trip through Ohio in the interests of his firm, is mourning the loss of an automobile tire and rim, which was stolen from the rear of his machine while he was attending services at the Second Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

Police officers were notified of the theft within a short time after it occurred, and spent several hours in a vain effort to run down the thieves. One eye witness of the theft informed the police that the man who took the tire off the machine was a colored man, and the police chased a suspect and his companion for several squares, but they finally eluded them. A close watch will be kept on the second hand stores and garages for a few days in the hope of obtaining a clue to the guilty parties.

New Mill Shed

A force of 32 structural iron workers arrived here from Martin's Ferry, Ohio, Sunday, to erect another new mill shed at the Portsmouth Steel company's plant.

STEEL MILL IS BUSY

All of the Portsmouth Steel company's mills resumed operations Monday morning excepting sheet mill No. 3 and prospects look bright for a steady and uninterrupted run of at least four weeks time.

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TRINITY CLASS NOTES

P. V. D.

Trinity Bible Class had another lively session Sunday morning with 114 members being present.

John McMillen and daughter led the singing, after which Mr. Metzger, the heavy basso of the Pilgrim Singers, favored the class with a solo.

Mr. Finney being out of the city the assistant teacher, Mr. Jack Hood, was called to go into the box in the professor's place. Finney had put Jack wise to all the batters weaknesses and had them hitting wildly at all his offerings.

Mr. Hood started out first by giving an analysis of the "Parable of the Wicked Husbandmen." The Householder was God. The vineyard was the Jews. The hedge was interpreted as the law preventing intermarriage. The tower represented the temple. Husbandmen was Jewish nation. Gone to a far country meant that God no longer led them as of old. Jeremiah was the beaten prophet. Zachariah was stoned and Isaiah was killed.

After this brief outline he asked for whose benefit was the Parable spoken.

Mr. Roberts thought the children of Israel. Some said whole human race. Harry Donaldson claimed Jewish nation and others to follow to profit thereby.

The question was asked would the sentence passed by the Pharisees and High Priests upon themselves been a just punishment. Most of the class thought so, but Nick Carter dissented. But upon finding out that it meant death he gave his approval. Nick has probably been reading war news and is a little more blood thirsty than usual.

The question "Are God's messengers mistreated today" brought on a wide discussion. Jim Pfeiffer said yes as he had heard them slurred right on the streets of Portsmouth. Mark Crawford claimed that many self appointed messengers were not true messengers of God. John McMillen here put in his oar and said the greatest mistreatment of God's messengers today was the indifference of the hearers. That the discouragement from this was the worst mistreatment that could be offered. Marshall White claimed that one of the chief reasons for not receiving the message was the unfitness of the messengers. He claimed that this person should be a true and almost perfect disciple of Christ. Prof. Appel sided with Mr. White in the discussion and claimed that many people were carrying the message that are not of God and had since Christ's time naming Judas Iscariot as one, adding that even the devil quoted scripture. Billy Williamson stated that lots of men did good by showing people what sin and vice were doing for them, and warning them to live different lives from them.

The teacher stated that many people who were not sincere carried the message to the people and brought forth fruit and thought we should not be too exacting upon the fitness of the messengers as few would be able to stand.

Is Christ being crucified today? Jim Pfeiffer said by some people who are more wicked than in Christ's time but when pressed closely would not admit that the world is growing worse.

Marshall White stated that Christ would be crucified in three years if living today. "On being asked by who he asked, "Who killed him before?"

Many other splendid points were brought out and discussed and it was a very profitable session for all present. Next Sunday's lesson is that well known parable "The Wedding Feast." This is one of the best of the series and Mr. Finney will have several surprises to spring on the class.

Notes

Uncle Dick Micklethwait was missed in his accustomed place. He is seriously ill and the class are all hoping for his speedy recovery.

The Pilgrim Singers, assisted by Mrs. Sam Crawford, pianist, Mrs. Charles E Hard, violinist, and Mrs. Wells Crawford, reader, will give a concert at West Union Monday evening.

W. B. Anderson and John Breece were on deck again Sunday, having returned from their summer outing at Lakeside.

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BILLY DOYLE BACK HOME

Billy Doyle, scout for the American League team, returned home Saturday evening, accompanied by his son, Billy, Jr., from a trip through Georgia, Alabama and Florida in the interest of the Naps. He left Monday evening for Cleveland, where he will lay his report before the team owners. He stated, however, that he focused but one or two phenoms, and declares that the class of ball in the Ohio State is faster than in any Class D league in the country.

Had Fine Trip

Messrs. Karl Zoellner, George Gableman, W. P. Minego, and Otto Maitre motored to Bainbridge Saturday evening, where they spent Sunday as guests at the country home of Harry Waddell, of the state bureau of accounting. Mr. Waddell is well known in Portsmouth, where he has made extended visits while auditing the accounts of the city offices. On their way home, the party was entertained at dinner Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gableman of Waverly.

Caught A Snake

Orville Sprague, Jr., hooked a water snake in Turkey Creek Sunday. He was passing the stream when he caught sight of the snake and worked for almost an hour before catching the reptile which measured two feet.

Rev. Oakes Held Services

Rev. W. A. Oakes conducted services at the Christian church in Fullerton Sunday. A large crowd attended the supper given by the Methodist church there Saturday night.

Beats Boosting

A half of our big coffee trade is due to our own roasting.—Ad. in a Buffalo paper.

SLAVENS CLAIMS SWALLOWS HERE TO ESCAPE EUROPEAN WAR

John M. Slavens, a veteran insurance agent residing in the Elk building, is of the opinion that the hundreds of swallows at present infesting Tracy park, are here to escape the big European war. John believe that the smell of gunpowder drove the birds across the big pond. He says swallows are the swiftest of little birds.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

The Sunday school attendance yesterday was 4559, the lowest it has been for several months. Trinity as usual was in the lead with only 687 present while Christian was right on the heels of the leaders with 606. The smaller Sunday schools are experiencing very small gains each Sunday while the larger schools are losing. Following is the record of attendance for Sunday:

Trinity	687
Christian	606
Manly	470
Second Presbyterian	359
German Evangelical	282
First Presbyterian	272
First Baptist	250
German M. E.	189
Kendall Avenue Baptist	166
Hutchins Street Baptist	113
New Boston Baptist	143
United Brethren	148
New Boston Christian	107
Bigelow	390
Terminals	65
Grandview Avenue Christian	229
Total	4559

SALTS FINE FOR ACHING KIDNEYS

We eat too much meat, which clogs Kidneys, then Back hurts and Bladder bothers you.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

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A well known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

Bakery Robbed

Youthful thieves broke into the Jacob Pfau bakery on Eleventh street late Saturday night and stole a large quantity of cakes and pies from the show cases. Officer Campbell rounded up the thieves, who later confessed their guilt, but they were allowed to go when Mr. Pfau refused to prosecute them. The police have the names of the youths, and their conduct will be watched in the future.

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LOCALS SLAMMED HARTWIG--COLTS PROVED EASY

Diltz Twirls Nicely For The Childs Crew, Score Was 9 To 1

(By F. W. Sheridan.)

No, no friends, the cannonading at Millbrook Park Sunday afternoon was not the echos from the heavy artillery fire being poured on the Belgian forts at Liege by the Kaiser's battering guns, but the reports of explosions as the locals swung their cudgels at the offerings of King Edward Hartwig, of Monroe, Mich., who toils through the summer months as the premier southpaw of the Lexington hurling staff. Biff, bang, whang--17 times did the climbing children slam that ball to unguarded spots, and when the smoke of battle lifted and the 1,500 fans present had a chance to glimpse the score board, they saw affixed thereon in figures of white, nine runs for the Childs crew and a measley one for the Colts.

It was without a doubt, one of the greatest holocausts that ever overtook "Lefty," who has been getting by with great aplomb on the local lot since casting his fortune with the race-horse touts of the Blue Grass region. He was slammed fore and aft, the locals accumulating 17 hits, good for 26 bases. "Lefty" was kept ducking throughout the entire game and saved his precious hide more than once by ducking at the right time. Four of the bingles were triples, all carrying to the far outposts. Three of these lengthy gentlemen came in the fourth inning and the doom of the Colts was sealed right then and there. When the home bucks can shove over three runs in one inning, especially when they resulted because of three long triples, it is dollars to doughnuts that they will accumulate more before the fracas is ended.

While Hartwig was getting his in clusters, Stewart Diltz, the Roseville Rosebud, who was on the mound for the locals, made the Colts walk right up to the platter and eat out of his honest hand. Diltz had everything and brains to back it up. He held the visitors to eight hits, scattered through seven innings and twirled one of the cleverest games seen at the park for many a day. His control was absolutely perfect, while his hook broke over the corners at such tantalizing angles that he had the Colts on his hip throughout the entire route and was in deep water only once. Diltz was all primed for the contest and stepped onto the rubber as confident as any rooster you ever saw. That his confidence was not misplaced is shown by the result, for he would have blanked the hated enemy had it not been for a little miscue that slipped in the postmortem. However, he does not care a Baker's dozen if they did accumulate one chalk mark when his team garnered nine. He took his time, was as cool as a chunk of ice, and wrapped his fooler's around the necks and tibbles of the visitors with fiendish accuracy that they were fortunate indeed that they crossed the Rubicon once.

The crowd was what "Pickles" Dillhoefer would call a "humdinger." The stadium was filled, while they were hanging on the bleachers. Tell you, interest is again at fever heat in this man's town and the crowds are perking up numerically as well as otherwise. The game was just suited to the occasion. Of course Hartwig has many friends and well-wishers in this city, thanks to the splendid work he did while a member of the Portsmouth team. But when he pitches for the opposition, he immediately becomes an enemy and the crowd gets after him for fair. He did extremely well in the first three innings and up to that time it looked to the fans that the team that shoved over a run would have a big edge. After the fourth frame had been tabbed on the score board, however, it was only a question as to how many runs the locals would make. Every fellow on the team had his hitting clothes on, and not a one failed to secure at least one bingle. Hickey, who most certainly loves forked-arm fanning, and Jimmy Edwards secured three each, while Conwell, Emery, Crouch and Dillhoefer bagged a couple apiece. Baggan, Francisco and Diltz had to be content with one, although if pressed it is thought they could have done even better. They have hearts, however, and doubtless thought there was no use rubbing it in on such a good-natured fellow as the "Bear Cat" from Michigan. The victory, well earned, coupled with the defeat handed the Charleston Senators by the Chillicothe Babes, put the locals but two and one-half games behind first place, a position for which they are striving with might and main and one they will occupy before the next new moon.

As stated before, the game started off as though it was going to be a neck and neck stunt. In an effort to bolster up his hitting strength, Manager Guyn shoved Kennick in the game, benching short-stop McClellan, who has not bagged a safe one during the series. While Kennick met the ball fair, he could not drive one to safe territory. That Diltz was going to be all to the merry was seen after the third inning, when with the bases full and only one out he refused to allow a run. Kennick started the inning by whiffing, but Hartwig walked, Kendall rapped to third and Dillhoefer's good chuck had Hartwig a block, but for some reason or other, due perhaps to his eagerness to pivot a double play, Conwell dropped the assist. Gun got credit for a hit because Diltz failed to cover, filling the sacks. However, Hartwig was snuffed at the plate on Shafer's hit to third and White forced Gun. Some pitching.

The locals threatened in the second when Edwards and Emery singled, but Dillhoefer's rap to third was the start of a double play. It was in the fourth that Hartwig was hit for who tied the pup's tail together. Hickey led off with a resounding shot to center that gave him three sacks, and no less than the time he had scored an Edwards [illegible] fly to left. Emery cut in with a huge triple to middle, and Dillhoefer duplicated the blow to right, taking third by a long twisting slide. Francisco almost ungent'ded Hartwig's hands with a blow through the box, Dillhoefer registering. Diltz forced Nick at second and went to third on Baggan's soft-bunter to right. Conwell, however, was fooled into striking out.

In the seventh the locals broke loose again, shoving over four runs much to the discomfiture of Hartwig. Baggan walked for a starter and Crouch singled to left. Conwell, Hickey and Edwards followed with singles, which, coupled with Dillhoefer's long fly to right, sent Baggan, Crouch, Conwell and Hickey scurrying home.

In the eighth two more were added for good measure. Diltz beat out a hit to second, but Baggan hit into a double play. Crouch whipped a hit to middle that almost tore off Hartwig's left ear. He scored when Conwell tripled down the left foul line, the latter coming home when White's peg hit "Skip" in the broad and well-muscled back. Hickey beat out a hit to short, but saw that they had enough, and more, Edwards brought the inning to a close by lining hard to Shafer.

The visitors scored their only hit in the sixth. Shafer planted a triple to the left of Hickey, after Gun had lofted to Emery. White then cut a single to right, Shafer scoring. Guyn was easy for Conwell, who only had eleven chances. McEvoy walked, but Blackwell rolled to short, to end up to stay up. The score:

Portsmouth	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Baggan, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Crouch, cf	5	2	2	0	0	0
Conwell, 2b	5	2	2	5	5	1
Hickey, m	5	2	3	1	0	0
Edwards, 1b	4	0	3	10	2	0
Emery, ss	5	1	2	3	2	0
Dillhoefer, 3b	3	1	2	1	5	1
Francisco, c	3	0	1	3	0	0
Diltz, p	3	0	1	1	3	0
Total	36	9	17	27	18	2

Lexington	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Kendall, rf	5	0	1	3	0	0
Gun, m	4	0	1	2	0	0
Shafer, lf	4	1	1	2	0	0
White, 3b	4	0	2	2	2	1
Guyn, 2b	4	0	1	3	3	0
McEvoy, 1b	3	0	1	8	0	0
Blackwell, c	4	0	1	4	1	0
Kennick, ss	3	0	0	1	1	0
Hartwig, p	2	0	0	1	1	0
*Buck	1	0	0	0	0	0
Total	35	1	8	24	8	1

*Batted for Hartwig in 9th inning.

By Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Portsmouth	0	0	0	3	0	0	4	2	x	9
Lexington	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1

Three-base Hits--Conwell, Hickey, Emery, Dillhoefer, Shafer. Sacrifice Hits--Edwards, Dillhoefer. Stolen Bases--Dillhoefer. First Base on Balls--Diltz 1; Hartwig 2. Hit by Pitcher--Diltz. Struck Out--By Diltz 2; by Hartwig 1. Double Plays--Diltz, Dillhoefer to Edwards; White to McEvoy; Guyn to McEvoy. Wild Pitches--Hartwig. Umpire--Arundel. Time--1.45. Attendance--1,500.

SATURDAY'S GAME.

Portsmouth	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Baggan, rf	2	2	1	0	0	0
Crouch, cf	5	1	3	1	0	0
Conwell, 2b	5	2	2	5	3	0
Hickey, m	3	1	1	5	0	0
Edwards, 1b	3	1	1	10	0	0
Emery, ss	4	0	0	1	2	0
Dillhoefer, 3b	4	0	0	2	6	1
Francisco, c	3	0	2	3	0	0
Meyers, p	3	0	0	0	2	1
Total	32	7	10	27	13	2

Lexington	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Kendall, rf	5	0	1	1	0	0
Gun, m	4	0	1	4	0	0
Shafer, lf	3	2	1	3	0	0
White, 3b	4	0	1	1	2	0
Guyn, 2b	4	1	2	4	1	0
McEvoy, 1b	3	1	1	7	1	0
Blackwell, c	3	0	3	4	0	2
McClellan, ss	3	0	0	0	2	2
Hart, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Kennick	1	1	0	0	0	0
Total	34	5	10	24	7	4

*Batted for McClellan.

By Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Portsmouth	2	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	x	7
Lexington	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	3	5

Hits Apportioned--Off Meyers 10 in 8 1-3 innings. Two-base Hits--Francisco. Three-base Hits--Edwards, Guyn. Sacrifice Hits--Hickey, Meyers, Blackwell. Stolen Bases--Baggan 2; Hickey, Shafer, Guyn. First Base on Balls--Meyers 4; Hart 5. Struck Out--Meyers 1, Hart 1. Double Plays--Dillhoefer to Conwell to Edwards. Wild Pitches--Meyers 2; Hart. Time--1.55. Umpire--Arundel.

Lexington will be the attraction at Millbrook Park Monday and Tuesday. Black and Teene will oppose each other Monday, while Hanna and Tedrow will probably be in the points Tuesday, although Manager Guyn is liable to pitch himself tomorrow. On Wednesday, the Chillicothe Babes will show at Millbrook. While the locals have played nine games on the Babes' field during the second half, this will be the first appearance of the Champs, who are turning quite a trick for the locals right now in the holding of Charleston. However, when they come here they will work their heads off, but will no doubt miss the services of Johnny Shovelin, who has joined the Columbus team of the A. A. Carter will pitch Wednesday's game for the locals according to present arrangements.

The crowd yesterday was a splendid one. The game could have not been more appropo, either. The fans of this city love to see long distance slugging and they certainly got their fill yesterday. Until the fourth inning, Hartwig seemed to have the number of the locals, but after that he was a cinch, and Hickey spoiled his plans when he slammed that long triple to middle in the fourth. That was the beginning of the end, and after that the Colts were done for. When a team can lay against the offerings of Hartwig for seventeen hits, including vicious drives, it certainly has its batting clothes.

Stewart Diltz twirled a magnificent game. He [illegible] who are now securely fastened in the box. He had everything, confidence, control and last [illegible]. He seemed to make them hit the ball just where he wanted it, and had [illegible] from start to [illegible]. It was seen splendid support [illegible] by [illegible] the local fans, when [illegible] support of his comrades he [illegible] on the show. He is one of the most valued twirlers in the [illegible] and he now [illegible] was time he [illegible] in the box.

Conwell had a busy day at second [illegible]. He messed up one [illegible] of them, and, in his haste to pivot a double play he dropped Dillhoefer's assist on Kendall's roller. Some of his stops were gems for brilliancy and accuracy.

Every man on the team secured at least one hit. Edwards finished the afternoon's engagement with a batting average of .750 per cent., while Hickey was right behind him. The locals are now hitting hard and timely and it is going to take absolute air tight pitching to stop them. Crouch started out as though Hartwig had his goat, but his last two trips to the plate resulted in terrific singles for him. His last one went past Hartwig a mile a minute, "Lefty" grooving one waist high.

There was much jollification in the city Sunday evening, when word was received that Chillicothe had again humbled Beers' Senators, bringing Charleston down to within two and one-half games of the locals. If Chilly will but put two more over on the Senators and the locals keep up their good work against the Colts the two teams will be almost neck and neck Wednesday morning. The way the Children Crew is traveling right now it is going to take something brilliant to stop it. The locals are hitting viciously and the boys have set their hearts on winning that second half. They are fighting hard every inch of the way and will leave no stone unturned to accomplish their laudable ambition.

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HOW THEY STAND

OHIO STATE LEAGUE.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.
Portsmouth 7; Lexington 5.
Chillicothe 4; Charleston 1.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.
Chillicothe 1; Charleston 0.
Portsmouth 9; Lexington 1.

GAMES TODAY.
Lexington at Portsmouth.
Charleston at Chillicothe.

STANDINGS.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Charleston	25	16	.610
Portsmouth	22	18	.550
Chillicothe	20	20	.500
Lexington	17	24	.415

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.
Brooklyn 6; Cincinnati 3.
St. Louis 6; Chicago 4.

STANDINGS.

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	58	43	.574
Boston	51	46	.540
St. Louis	57	52	.523
Chicago	54	51	.511
Brooklyn	48	54	.471
Philadelphia	48	55	.466
Pittsburg	47	55	.461
Cincinnati	47	57	.452

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.
Detroit 13; Cleveland 6.
Chicago 3; St. Louis 4.
St. Louis 2; Chicago 7.
No other games scheduled.

STANDINGS

	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	69	35	.663
Boston	59	47	.557
Washington	56	49	.533
Detroit	55	53	.509
Chicago	55	56	.495
St. Louis	52	54	.490
New York	48	58	.453
Cleveland	36	76	.315

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.
Cleveland 8; Columbus 7.
Columbus 0; Cleveland 4.
Louisville 2; Indianapolis 4.
St. Paul 3; Minneapolis 4.
Minneapolis 5; St. Paul 0.
Milwaukee 6; Kansas City 4.

STANDINGS.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Milwaukee	70	51	.579
Louisville	71	53	.573
Columbus	62	58	.518
Indianapolis	63	60	.506
Cleveland	62	61	.504
Kansas City	61	62	.496
St. Paul	44	80	.354

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.
No games scheduled.

STANDINGS.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	59	46	.562
Baltimore	56	46	.549
Brooklyn	53	45	.541
Indianapolis	55	47	.539
Buffalo	51	50	.505
Pittsburgh	45	56	.446
St. Louis	47	60	.439
Kansas City	46	61	.430

SHOVELIN TO REPORT ON MONDAY

Columbus, Aug. 15.--Infielder Shovelin did not come Saturday, and it is said that he will not report until Monday. It is announced that Pitcher Green is to be left with Lexington until the close of the Ohio State League season.

Broke Arm In A Fall

Mrs. Sarah Cooper fractured an arm in a fall at her home at Henley, O., Saturday. Mrs. Cooper is a fleshy woman and she suffered greatly from the shock of the fall.

Down In The Cellar Eating Sauerkraut

The poor old Reds managed to reach the bottom rung of the ladder, Saturday, when they were walloped by the Pittsburgh Pirates, 2 to 0. This defeat sent them to the cellar ker-flop. The Reds started their Eastern invasion in great style, winning three out of four from Brooklyn, then crossing the bridge and whaling the Giants four out of five. At the conclusion of the New York series, Manager Herzog let it be known that the team was now ready to climb. It has climbed, all right, but in the wrong direction. Of course the bottom teams are bunched and the Reds may take a brace and work their way into the first division during their month's stay on their home lot. But the team is too much of a crazy mess to become moulded into a smooth running machine. The players seem not have sufficient judgment, and go wild on various occasions. When an aggregation makes 16 hits against 7 for their opponents and then lose the game something is radically wrong. Mr. Herzog has been yelling for speed--well he's got speed, but speed without judgment availeth little. Herzog should get his men used to their surroundings before having them dash their heads out trying to stretch singles into doubles and doubles into triples. Ty Cobb can do this once in a while, but no one has yet come forward with the discovery that any Georgia Peaches were growing on the Red bush.

YEP, WE'RE CUTTING THE LEAD DOWN

This from President Read to the Columbus Journal:

"Charleston's halt at Chillicothe and Portsmouth's successes over Lexington has tightened up the Ohio State League race. Charleston's lead over Portsmouth is just about equal to that held by the New York Giants over the rushing Bostons."

WILL ENTERTAIN OFFICIAL BOARD

Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Brooks will have as their guests tonight the members of the board of the First Christian church and their wives. The men who have been chosen as assistants to the officers will also be present.

Fr. Goebel in Ironton

Rev. Father F. Goebel, pastor of St. Mary's church, went to Ironton Sunday afternoon to attend the twenty-fifth anniversary celebration of Rev. Dr. Cotter, of that city.

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Things You Never Hear

"No, madam, these eggs are not very fresh."

"You're sure $10 will be enough, old man?"

"What an ugly baby! Aren't you ashamed to own such a little satyr?"

"Would you like to run my auto?"

Why She Stopped Talking.

A very talkative little girl, who had been chattering away like a magpie all morning, suddenly became silent when a lady, dressed in the extreme of the fashion, called on her mother. Wishing to be amiable, the visitor said to the chatterbox: "Have you lost your tongue, my dear?" "Oh, no, ma'am," was the reply; "only my breath."

Columbus Is Pulling

The State Journal says:

"Because of Barry Dowdy's membership on the club, many Columbus people are pulling very hard for the Ports players to hold on until they reach to bay and fortify themselves. Dowdy is one of the finest athletes ever developed in Columbus. Not so many years ago he tended the score board at Neil Park. His first professional baseball was played with Lancaster of the Ohio State League."

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Big Wrestling Bout At Millbrook Park

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Much interest is being manifested [illegible] In the wrestling bout [illegible] off at Millbrook Park on the [illegible] ning of Labor Day between Charles [illegible] Keigler, of this city, and Jack [illegible] Clayton, of Indianapolis, Ind., for [illegible] the light heavyweight championship [illegible] of the world. These two grapplers [illegible]

The Exhibit TO-NIGHT! "OUR MUTUAL GIRL" And "FEAST and FAMINE" A GOOD AMERICAN DRAMA
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Spiders Victorious

The Spiders defeated the fast Bohemian team at Willow Park Sunday afternoon by the score of 5 to 4. Horr started the game for the Bohemians, but went wild. The Spiders' twirler Rollins, pitched good ball until the ninth inning, when an error and four hits gave the opponents three runs. The Spiders won the game in the tenth on Rollins' single, Harts' out, R. Brennen's single and "Red" Tohmpson's long fly to middle. The score:

Spiders	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Hart, lf	4	0	0	3	0	0
H. Brennen, c	5	1	1	7	2	0
Meyers, 3b	3	0	0	2	2	0
Thompson, cf	4	1	1	0	0	0
H. Monk,	3	1	0	12	0	1
Hauck, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Held, 2b	3	1	1	3	1	1
P. Brennen	3	0	1	3	2	3
Rollins	4	1	1	0	7	0
Total	33	5	9	30	17	5

Bohemians	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Banfield, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Grimm, ss	2	1	0	0	4	0
G. Brennen, 2b	4	1	1	3	0	1
Shoemaker, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Grice, rf	4	1	2	2	1	0
C. Monk, 3b	4	0	1	2	1	0
Stilwell, c	3	1	1	12	2	0
Test, 1b-p	3	0	0	6	0	0
Horr, p-1b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Total	32	4	7	28	10	1

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Bohemians	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	—4
Spiders	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	1	—5

Two-base Hits—J. Brennen, P. Brennen, Thompson. Sacrifice Hits—P. Brennen, Test, Stilwell. Sacrifice Fly—Thompson. Struck Out—By Rollins 4; by Horr 9; by Test 4. Bases on Balls—By Rollins 2; by Horr 2; by Test 1. Hits Apportioned—Off Horr, 7 in 7 innings; off Test, 2 in 3 innings. Double Play—P. Brennen; Held; H. Monk. Stolen Bases—R. Brennen 3; H. Monk. Hauck 2. Umpire—Fisher. Time—2:35. Wild Pitches—Horr 2. Attendance 500.

SHAMROCKS WIN FRON THE IRONTON CHESTIES

Keeping up their reputation as a winning road team, the Portsmouth Shamrocks defeated the Ironton Chesties Sunday in a fast game. The Ironton boys showed good form, but could not fathom the pitching of Roy Dunham, which was of the big league order, he striking out 17 and allowing three hits. The final score was 5 to 0 in favor of the Shamrocks. Jimmy Campbell has the cleanest bunch of ball players that has represented Ironton for many years in the amateur line. The Shamrocks will probably play the fast Huntington Independents August 30th. This team is composed of former Ohio Staters, but the way the Shamrocks have been going on the road, the Huntington team will have to go some to defeat them. No game has been booked by the Shamrocks for August 23rd as yet.

Kittel's bare-hand catch of a hot liner over the second sack was the feature of the game, and it cut off Ironton's only chance for a run. The score as follows:

	R.	H.	E.
Shamrocks	5	7	1
Ironton	0	3	2

PEERLESS LEAGUE

STANDINGS.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Tigers	13	7	.650
East End	12	5	.705
Athletics	7	10	.411
Kendall Avenue	6	11	.353

SATURDAY'S SCORES.

Kendall Avenue 11; Tigers 5.
East End 12; Athletics 1.

KENDALL AVENUES KILL BALL.

The Kendall Avenues prevented the Tigers from cinching the rag on Saturday by defeating them 11 to 5. Hudson was hit hard at all stages of the game, the Earlytown boys securing a total of 15 clean hits, 3 of them homers. Parker pitched a swell game for Kendall Avenue and fanned 11 Tiger batters. Had the Tigers have won this game, they would have cinched the 1914 pennant. The score:

Kendall Avenue	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Worthington, 1b	5	2	2	6	0	0
Cook, lf	4	3	2	0	1	0
P[illegible], c	5	1	3	12	1	0
Hasbel, ss	5	2	3	2	3	0
Brady, 2b	5	0	2	3	1	0
Scott, 3b	5	0	1	2	0	0
Charles, cf	2	1	0	0	0	0
Lewis, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0
Parker, p	5	1	1	0	2	0
Total	40	11	15	27	8	0

Tigers	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
H. Hudson, c	3	1	1	6	1	0
Russell, 2b	5	0	1	1	0	0
Heninger, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Williams, 3b	2	1	1	1	3	0
Selby, cf	3	1	0	2	1	0
Sprague, ss	2	1	0	1	2	0
Lum, 1b	3	0	0	11	0	0
Berg, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
I. Hudson	3	1	1	2	4	0
Total	27	5	5	27	11	0

By Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Kendall Avenue	0	1	0	0	0	3	6	1	0	11
Tigers	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	4	—5

Home Runs—Cook, Parker, Paxson, I. Hudson. Three-base Hits—Paxson. Two base Hits—Worthington, Russell, Williams. Struck Out—By Parker 11; by Hudson 6. Base on Balls—By Parker 1; by Hudson 3. Passed Ball—H. Hudson. Double Plays—I. Hudson to Williams; Parker to Brady. Time—2:25. Umpire—Hamilton.

MOORE TWIRLS GREAT GAME.

Glenn Moore, the East End twirler, pitched the greatest game of his life Saturday, when he held the Athletics to one lone tally, and fanned 12 of their batters. Six scattered hits were all the heavy sluggers from the West End could register, and their one score was on an error. With Saturday's game, Moore turned in his eleventh victory for the East Enders, and it has been his brilliant pitching that has kept the East End boys in the pennant race. Tatman featured at the bat, securing two home runs and a single in 5 trips to the bat. The entire East End team hit hard, securing a total of 15 hits. The score:

East End	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
DeVoss, ss	4	1	3	0	3	1
Allen, lf	4	1	0	0	0	0
Gilmore, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Graf, c	4	2	4	13	1	0
Foster, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Hamilton, 1b	4	1	2	11	0	0
Bryant, 3b	3	1	1	1	0	1
Tatman, cf	4	2	3	0	0	0
Eisenmangle, 2b	2	3	2	1	2	1
Moore, p	2	1	0	0	5	0
Total	32	11	15	27	11	3

Athletics	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Bowes, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Gehres, cf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Blake, 2b	3	0	0	2	2	0
Moon, ss-p	3	0	0	0	3	0
Torgess, 1b	4	0	0	9	0	0
Chapman, 3b	4	0	2	3	1	0
Weiher, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Wilson, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Quinn, c	4	0	1	9	1	2
Bellamy, p-ss	3	0	1	0	3	1
Total	31	1	6	*23	10	3

*Hamilton out, hit by batted ball.

By Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Athletics	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1
East End	0	3	4	0	5	0	0	0	x	—12

Home Runs—Tatman 2. Two-base Hits—Hamilton, Bellamy. Sacrifice Hits—Fugitt, Eisenmangle. Struck Out—By Moore 12; by Bellamy 7; by Moon 2. Base on Balls—By Moore 1; by Bellamy 7. Hit by Pitcher—Eisenmangle. Double Plays—Blake to Torgess. Time—2:00. Umpire—E. G. Hamilton.

BOY SCOUT LEAGUE

STANDINGS.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Presbyterians	10	4	.714
Trinity	6	8	.428
Baptists	6	8	.428
West End	6	8	.428

SATURDAY'S SCORES.

Presbyterians 10; Trinity 7.
West End 3; Baptists 1.

GREAT FINISH FOR PRESBYTERIANS.

With the score 6 to 0 against them in the 6th inning, the Presbyterians came back strong in the seventh, putting 5 runs across and tieing the score up. They put it on ice in the eighth by tallying 4 more, and defeating Trinity 10 to 7. The score:

Presbyterians	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
McCullough, lf	5	2	1	2	0	0
Bowser, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
R. Nutter, cf	5	2	2	3	0	0
Carey, ss	5	1	2	1	3	1
Upp, 1b	3	1	1	12	0	2
Bertram, c	4	0	1	7	2	0
Baker, 3b	5	1	1	1	1	1
Edwards, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Morris, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
L. Nutter, p	3	2	1	0	4	0
Total	37	10	10	27	15	5

*Baker out for interference.

Trinity	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Warner, rf	2	1	2	0	0	0
Trone, rf	2	1	1	1	1	1
Gable, 2b	4	1	1	3	1	3
Shumway, c	3	0	2	9	2	1
Graf, cf	5	0	1	1	1	0
Smith, 3b	5	1	1	1	3	1
Grimes, 1b	5	1	0	8	1	1
Shoemaker, lf	5	0	3	2	0	0
Byron, ss	5	1	1	1	4	2
Winters, p	3	1	0	0	1	1
Total	39	6	12	*26	11	5

By Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Presbyterians	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	4	0	—10
Trinity	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	1	—7

Three-base Hits Baker, Shumway. Two-base Hits—Warner, Shumway, L. Nutter. Sacrifice Hits Morris, Gable, Shumway. Struck Out—By Nutter 6; by Winters 7. Base on Balls—By Nutter 1; by Winters 5. Hit by Pitcher Warner, McCullough 2; L. Nutter, Upp. Balk—Winters. Time—2:05. Umpire Ludwick.

LODWICK PITCHES RECORD GAME.

After being out of the game for a month from injuries, Babe Lodwick came back strong, pitching a record game in the Boy Scout League for the season, when he held the heavy-slugging Baptist team to 2 hits, one of these of the scratch variety. He also fanned 10 Baptist batters, and did not give a single walk. The score:

Baptists	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Mack, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Cropper, 2b	4	0	0	2	0	0
Delmar, ss	4	0	1	0	1	1
Cunningham, 1b	3	0	0	12	0	1
Beckman, cf	3	1	0	1	0	0
Tilton, c	3	0	0	6	1	0
Buchert, 3b	2	0	0	1	3	0
Thompson, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Stimpson, p	3	0	0	1	4	0
Total	29	1	2	24	13	1

West End	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Werner, ss	3	0	0	1	4	0
Grice, 3b	3	2	1	3	2	1
Wagner, 1b	4	1	2	9	0	0
Patton, c	3	0	2	11	1	0
C. Lodwick, lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Schreck, lf	1	0	1	0	0	0
Fortner, 2b	4	0	1	2	2	0
Evans, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
P. Lodwick, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Total	31	3	9	27	10	1

By Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Baptists	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1
West End	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	x	—3

Home Runs—Wagner. Sacrifice Hits—Werner, C. Lodwick, P. Lodwick. Hit by Pitcher—Buchert. Base on Balls—By Stimpson 2. Struck Out—By Lodwick 10; by Stimpson 6. Time—1:35. Umpire—Lodwick.

TWO MEN KILLED; ONE FATALLY HURT; 1 MORE INJURED IN A WRECK

Two men were killed instantly, another fatally injured, and one seriously injured, when a double-header west-bound extra freight train in charge of Conductor J. C. Mercer and Engineers George Bender and C. A. Kaut, all of this city, was derailed near Perintown, eighteen miles out of Cincinnati, about four o'clock Sunday afternoon. None of the crew was injured, all of the injured being hoboes who were stealing a ride.

Sixteen cars were derailed, all but one of which were heavily laden with coal. The other car was an empty box car, in which the four men who were injured were riding. Paul Ellis, 36, of Williamsburg, Ohio, was killed instantly, while William Johnson, colored, of Harrisburg, Va., died on the way to a Cincinnati hospital from injuries received in the accident. An unknown white man, who, from letters and cards found among his belongings, hails from Virginia, was also found in a dying condition when the crew reached the scene. He expired a few moments later without regaining consciousness.

The fourth one among the injured is George Bryan, of Williamsburg, Ohio, who suffered a fracture of the right arm and other minor bruises. Ellis' body was turned over to relatives at Williamsburg within a short time after the accident.

Wreck trains from Clare and Portsmouth were dispatched to the scene, Assistant Superintendent L. C. Ayers and Trainmaster D. S. Peters accompanying the latter and taking personal charge of the work.

It was after midnight Sunday night before the track was cleared of the debris so that trains could pass. Coal was strewn for some distance along the tracks, while the rails and ties were torn up for several yards.

The excursion train from Cincinnati, carrying about 400 passengers, which was due to arrive in Portsmouth about midnight, was detoured over the C. & O. and arrived at South Portsmouth about one o'clock Monday morning. West-bound passenger trains Nos. 25 and 27, which left Portsmouth Sunday afternoon for Cincinnati, stopped at Perintown, and the passengers were taken to Cincinnati on an electric line.

The derailment occurred in the vicinity of Perintown, in what is known among the railroad men as Davis Bottoms. The cause is not known.

THE MARKETS

GRAIN MARKET
OPENING

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 17—Wheat, Sept., 88½ to 88, Dec. 94½ to 93½; May, 101½ to 101⅛.

Corn: Sept., 76¼ to 76⅛; Dec. 67¼ to 67; May, 68¾ to 68⅝.

Oats: Sept., 40⅞ to 40¼; Dec., 44¼ to 43⅞; May, 47⅜ to 47⅛.

CLOSE

Wheat: Sept., 89⅜; Dec., 95¼; May, 102¼.

Corn: Sept., 78⅛; Dec., 68½; May, 69¾.

Oats: Sept., 41⅝; Dec., 44¾; May, 47½.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 17—Hogs: receipts, 30,000; market, lower; light yorkers, $8.75 to $9.25; heavy yorkers, $8.50 to $9.15; pigs, $7.00 to $8.50.

Cattle: receipts, 2000; beeves, $7.15 to $10.45; Texas steers, $6.30 to $9.20; stockers and feeders, $5.50 to $8.15; cows and heifers, $3.60 to $9.20; calves, $8.25 to $11.60.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 30,000; sheep, natives, $5.15 to $6.00; lambs, natives, $8.50 to $8.40.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 17 Hogs: receipts, 7400.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 1,800; top sheep, $6.00; top lambs, $8.25.

Calves, receipts, 1100; top, $11.50.

BASE STEALERS IN JOHNSON'S LEAGUE

Player	G.	SB.	Av.
Maisel, New York	104	41	.40
E. Collins, Athletics	106	31	.29
Milan, Washington	81	28	.35
Speaker, Boston	106	31	.29
G. Williams, St. Louis	97	25	.26
Pratt, St. Louis	105	26	.25
Peckinpaugh, New York	108	27	.25
Bush, Detroit	108	26	.24
Shotten, St. Louis	101	21	.21
Foster, Washington	101	24	.24

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Carnival Company Comes To The City On A Special Train

The Greater Sheesley Shows, which will give a big carnival here this week under the auspices of the Owls, arrived from Circleville on a special train Sunday afternoon.

True to its custom, the Sheesley company and its small army of people observed the Sabbath by resting and sight-seeing. The carnival people excited much favorable comment by their general appearance and department.

The company brought nine carloads of equipment to Portsmouth, the task of unloading and pitching tents beginning bright and early Monday morning on the old mill lot in the West End. The company also has a couple of automobiles, which are chiefly used for advertising purposes.

The carnival will open this evening and continue for the remainder of the week. One of the novel features will be the Owls' country store. An old shack has been fitted up and it will be stocked with the numerous articles and supplies generously donated to the order by the merchants over town. It will contain everything from a box of matches to a barrel of flour.

The Sheesley company carries its own Italian band of fourteen pieces. The general committee in charge of arrangements for the carnival is composed of the following members: Roy McElhaney, Clifford Bickel, Wm. Miller, Grover Barr and Albert Haner.

The Country Store Committee is made up as follows:

W. A. Holmes, George Schroeder, John Knost, Lee Ferguson and Charles Reinhart.

GO GET YOUR MONEY

The judges and clerks who served at the recent primary election may secure their pay by calling at the county treasurer's office. Registrars can obtain their pay at the city auditor's office after Tuesday.

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT WATER CONSUMERS.
All delinquent water consumers will hereby take NOTICE. All accounts not paid by August 20, 1914, will be turned off, without further notice.

WM. GERGENS, Director
D. E. EDWARDS, Collector.
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PRIESTS ENJOYED AN IRONTON CELEBRATION

Revs. Fathers J. E. McHuirk and T. Goebel have returned from Ironton, where they attended the 25th anniversary celebration of Rev. Dr. James Henry Cotter's patorate at St. Lawrence church.

The local priests report that the anniversary exercises were of an impressive character. Father Cotter's parishioners presented him with a purse of gold, Charles Mayne making the presentation spech, to which the good priest responded feelingly. Hon. Timothy H. Hogan, attorney-general of Ohio, and the Democratic nominee for United States Senator, also spoke and lauded the fame of the tongue and pen of Father Cotter. Big delegations of clergy and laymen from Huntington, Ashland, Pine Grove and other surrounding places attended the celebration.

Elater Fire-Fly.

Another remarkable insect found in Mexico is the Elater fire-fly, which the Indians use as miniature torches. The men fasten them to their ankles in going through the forest, and the women wear them in their hair under a thin gauze veil. Tiny little cages are constructed in which three or four are kept for lighting purposes. The insects congregate by the thousands in many forest trees and, as if by preconcerted agreement, simultaneously flash their lights, then darken them and flash them again.

Grand Duchess of Luxemburg, First Sufferer From War

The young Grand Duchess of Luxemburg, who rules the little principality south of Belgium, was the first sufferer from the war between France and Germany. The kaiser sent his troops across her domains regardless of the fact that the neutrality of the little nation was guaranteed by treaty. The country is now being ravaged by soldiers, and it may become one of the main fighting grounds of the war.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, O., Aug. 17, 1914.
(Observations taken at 8 a. m., 75th Meridian Time.)

	Flood stage	Height of river	Change since last report	Precipitation in last 24 hours
Franklin	15	0.5 F	0.1	.24
Greensboro	28	7.5 F	-0.3	0
Pittsburgh	22	6.4 R	0.2	0
Wheeling	36	8.3 F	-0.2	0
Zanesville	25	8.8 F	-0.1	0
Parkersb'g	36	3.2 F	-0.6	0
Charleston	30	6.8 F	-0.1	0
Pt. Pleasant	39	Missing		
Catlettsb'g	50	3.4 R	0.1	0
Portsmouth	50	4.8 R	1.0	0
Cincinnati	50	12.0 F	1.0	0

Forecast

Unsettled; probably thunder showers over Upper Ohio Valley tonight and Tuesday.

River will be practically stationary.

H. O. DONNALLY,
River Observer.

The Ohio was 3.8 feet and slowly rising here Monday morning. Tuesday's packet departures are: Str. Bay Queen for Huntington at 3 p. m., Str. Klondike for Rome at 2 p. m.

ODDS AND ENDS

(Bulletin)

Namur, Aug. 17.—(Nonsensored)—A flock of Belgian hares broke into a wine cellar here and the whole outfit got pickled on a quart of Moselle. All the soldiers today are eating hassenpfeffer.

Lucasville resident:—It's simply fine to wake up in the morning and hear the leaves whispering outside your window.

Portsmouth Resident:—It's all right to hear the leaves whisper, but I never could stand hearing the grass mown.

Bang!

Fido found a cannon cracker,
Fido grabbed it in his mouth;
Fido's hair turned ten shades blacker,
Fido's left us—headed South.
—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Bridget grabbed the can of coal oil
And she poured some on the fire;
Biddy is no longer with us—
The poor girl has gone up high'r.
—Allentown Democrat.

Bruno thought the mule was sleeping,
And he thought he'd eat a dido;
And the mule's heels he went leaping!
Now he's most caught up with Fido.
—Houston Post.

Eating dynamite with gusto,
Billy Goatlet was unwise;
Never more after the bust, O,
Did his fragments mobilize.
—Youngstown Telegram.

Johnnie thought he smelled a gas leak,
With a match he carefully hunted;
Johnnie found that awful gas leak,
But into another world he was shunted.

What has become of the old-fashioned man who used his front finger for a handkerchief?

Safety First

Don't try to cross the Atlantic ocean in an aeroplane.

Don't accept the job of umpire in a base ball game.

Don't guffaw when a stout red-faced old golfer slices his drive.

Don't take more than a dozen drinks when running a motor car.

Don't call a bigger man than yourself a blank, dashed prevaricator.

Don't while in bathing flirt with the lifeguard's best girl.

Don't wear a bright orange tie at a Hibernian picnic.
—Boston Transcript.

Johnny Knows

"Johnnie, can you tell me why ice floats?" asked the teacher.

"'Cause its got air in its lungs," replied Johnnie.

An Irishman and a Frenchman were disputing over the nationality of a friend of theirs. "I say," said the Frenchman, "that he was born in France, therefore, he is a Frenchman."

"Not at all," said Pat. "Begorra, if a cat should have kittens in the oven, would you call them biscuits?"

August's hot—no doubt of that,
And sometimes it knocks us flat,
But, why, bless your panting soul,
THINK OF WHAT YOU SAVE IN COAL
With the heat so lavishly
Handed to you wholly FREE!

A Good Workman

"So you worked your way through college? Your father must be proud of you."

"Not much! He's the man I worked."

CAME HOME IN AUTO

E. P. McCoy, W. F. Nibert and Harrison Allen who went to Peebles to attend the chautauqua Sunday were obliged to charter an automobile for the return trip home on account of the N. & W. wreck at Perintown.

No weather is too hot for good painting when done by Brehmer, The Painter. adv 6tf

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Failure Marked Other Treatments

No class of troubles give more annoyance than kidney diseases, as many can testify. One reason being that such troubles are frequently not recognized in the early stages by the busy practitioner; another reason is that so insidious is the onset that much damage has been done to the delicate kidney structures before the victim realizes that there is something radically wrong, and even then, many are prone to attach little importance to the danger signals that nature throws out for the guidance of the individual.

In the clinics of the Bi-Chemic Doctors, those eminent specialists, who have their Portsmouth office located on the third floor of the Masonic Temple, there is not a day passes but what some sufferer from kidney disease is started on the road to health, as was Mr. Herman Bates, a well-known Ohio gentleman. His letter given voluntarily for publication, is as follows:

Sandusky, O.

Bi-Chemic Doctors:

Gentlemen:—I have been suffering for so long and endured so much pain and discomfort, had tried so many doctors without getting any relief, that I had become awfully discouraged and hardly knew where to turn next. I was troubled especially bad at night, having to arise many times, which seriously interfered with my rest. But now I am glad to say after treating but one month that I have received marked benefits, get a good, unbroken night's rest every night, the annoying symptoms have all left me and I am rapidly gaining in flesh.

I feel greatly pleased with your manner of handling my case, and am taking great pleasure in recommending you to my friends afflicted with chronic disease.

Sincerely yours,
(Signed) HERMAN BATES.

The above was a very distressing case. Unable to rest at night, unable to work so as to earn his daily bread, weak and terribly run down. The result, however, was most gratifying after but a few weeks' treatment under the Bi-Chemic Doctors. This is but one of the multitude of letters received by these specialists from grateful patients. And to all those afflicted with some chronic and deep-seated ailment would do well to call on the Bi-Chemic Doctors without further delay. If they cannot help you, they will tell you so frankly and honestly. They never accept a penny of one's money if they can't benefit that one.

Office hours daily from 9:30 to 12:00 and from 1:30 to 5:30. Evenings, on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays from 6:30 to 8:30. Sunday mornings from 10:00 to 12:00.

adv

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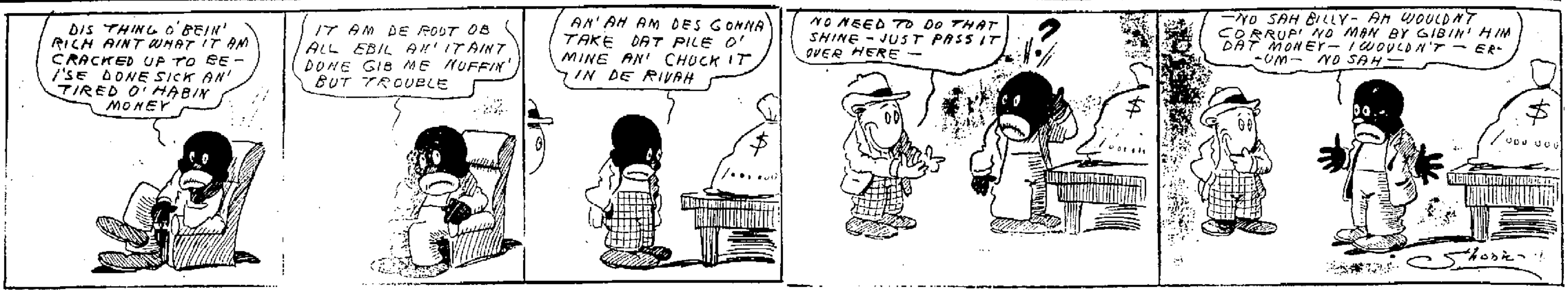
"BILLY BUTT IN"

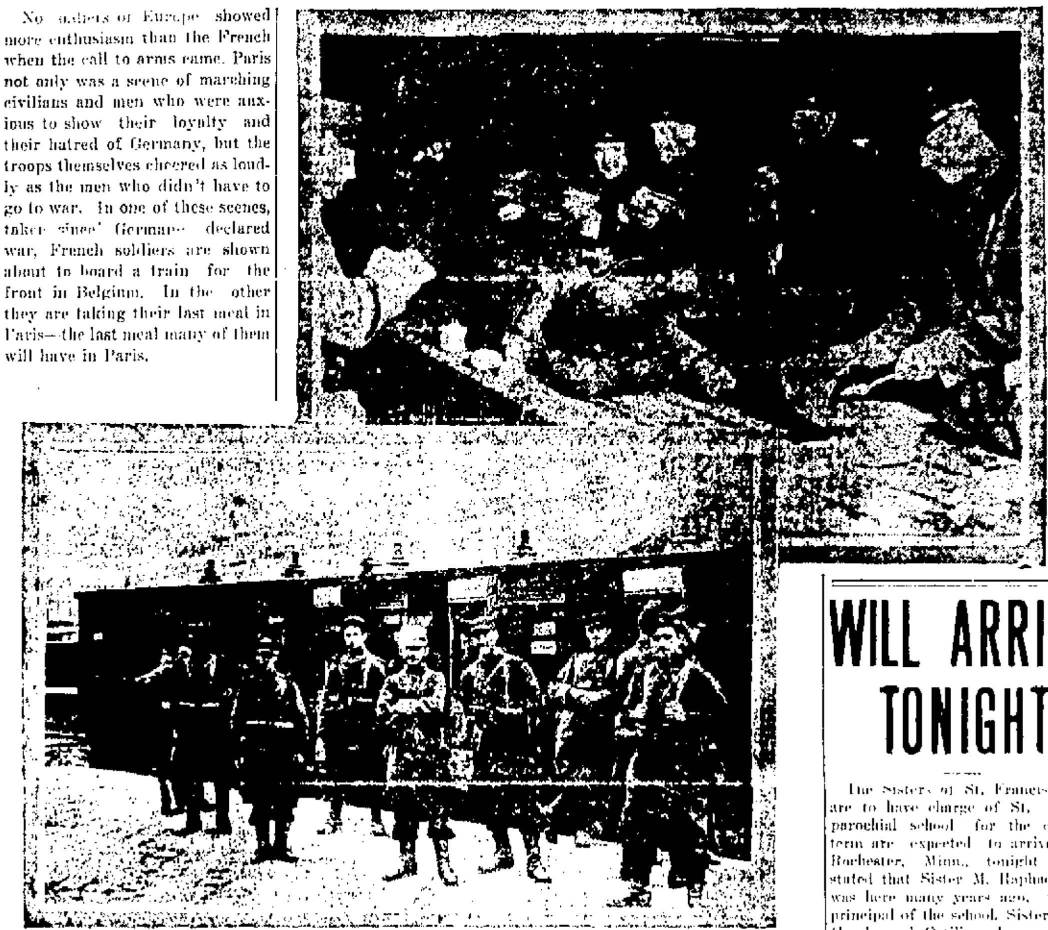
YES—MONEY MAY BE THE ROOT OF ALL EVIL BUT—



French Soldiers on Their Way to the Front in Belgium.

Waiting for Train at a Paris Railroad Taking Their Last Meal in Paris Station.

No nations of Europe showed more enthusiasm than the French when the call to arms came. Paris not only was a scene of marching civilians and men who were anxious to show their loyalty and their hatred of Germany, but the troops themselves cheered as loudly as the men who didn't have to go to war. In one of these scenes, taken since Germany declared war, French soldiers are shown about to board a train for the front in Belgium. In the other they are taking their last meal in Paris—the last meal many of them will have in Paris.



EMANCIPATION DAY PICNIC AT MILLBROOK

Arrangements for the big Emancipation Day celebration this year are in the hands of the members of the Uniformed Rank, K. of P., No. 6 (Colored), who are planning one of the biggest and most enjoyable affairs in the history of the colored race of this city, on September 22nd. The committee in charge has secured Millbrook Park for the celebration and that big amusement place will be at the disposal of the colored folk during the entire day, all amusements and concessions being turned over to their exclusive use. More detailed announcement of the arrangements will be made within the near future.

NEW BOSTON BAPTIST NOTES

We had a very good school Sunday, a gain of 17 over the week before—143 present.

The announcement that the Ohio Association would meet with us next August was welcome news. The four messengers who represented our church at the Association meeting will give their report at the morning service next Sunday. It was one of the best association meetings held for years.

The teachers' congress met Sunday afternoon and talked over the work of the school and planned to go to the Bible School Celebration to be held at Sciotoville Labor Day, Monday, September 7. They are planning for a good program that day and any who are not there will miss a good thing. Plan to be there. Our evening service was fairly well attended and the music by the Seiler Orchestra was appreciated by all who were present. It was a treat and we appreciate their kindness. We hope to have them with us again.

The building committee is getting busy on the plans for the parsonage and hope to have it up before long.

Announcements—Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7 p. m.; Ladies' Aid, Thursday; J. W. Wynn will be with the Sciotoville Baptist church Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

NO CLUE TO ROBBERS

Police have been unable to unravel the slightest clue that would lead to the detection of the robbers who pillaged the Frank L. Marting home in Sunnyside last Friday evening. Inability of the officers to reach the scene of the robbery within a reasonable time after it occurred spoiled whatever chances there were of apprehending the guilty parties.

Bartenders Meet.

The officers and members of the Bartenders' Union held their initial meeting in the local's new hall on Market street, Sunday afternoon, but transacted only routine business.

ARRESTED AT MANCHESTER

Manchester, O., Aug. 17—Elgie Boone, 19, is in the Manchester jail charged with grand larceny, on a warrant issued by the Maysville police court on the affidavit of Thos. A. Higgins of that city. Boone's father, it is said, will not permit him to be returned to Kentucky without requisition.

Young Boone says that while driving an auto for a Maysville firm one of the wheels came off and the machine was wrecked, but he had taken it on the trip by permission of the person in charge of the garage.

Joe, the big transfer horse owned by the Cox Livery Co., and valued at $250, died suddenly Saturday from lockjaw.

Two veterinarians worked with him for several hours, but were unable to afford any relief.

OBITUARY

David Edwards

Charles, Frank and Ernest Berry went to Columbus Monday morning to attend the funeral of the former's brother-in-law, David Edwards, aged 47 years, formerly of this city who died suddenly at his home there Friday night.

The message received by the local relatives gave no particulars and came as quite a shock to them. Mr. Edwards years ago was employed with the Portsmouth Hat & Glove Company and since locating in the Capital City worked for a hardware firm. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Jessie Delaney-Edwards and three sons.

George Markins

George Markins, a 9-year-old son of Mrs. Cora Markins and the late Frank Markins, died at the family home, 1023 Mill street Sunday afternoon, after a brief illness with typhoid fever. Besides the mother he leaves to mourn his death one brother, Chester, and a sister, Miss Ethel Markins.

David Jewett

David Jewett, aged 82 years, one of Scioto county's oldest native born citizens, died at the home of his son, Douglass Jewett at No. 411 Jefferson street Saturday evening.

Mr. Jewett's death was due to paralysis with which he was stricken several weeks ago. He was born at Lombardsville and was a cooper by trade. He served almost three years as a member of Company K, Ninty-first O. V. I., during the Civil War. Fifty-seven years ago he married Mahala Boldman, who survives him. Of seven children born to them the following four are living: Dennis Jewett, of Lombardsville, Mrs. Mary Hey, of Front street, Douglass Jewett of Jefferson street and Reason Jewett, of Front street. Mr. Jewett was the last survivor of the family of the late William Jewett. He was a member of the Christian church. The remains will be taken to Lombardsville Tuesday morning for burial in the Garvin cemetery. Rev. A. D. Singer of Henley, will conduct the funeral services.

S. S. English

The funeral of S. S. English, prominent Rushtown merchant, which was held Sunday morning at the Rushtown Baptist church at 11 o'clock, was one of the largest ever held in that section of the county, relatives and friends coming in large numbers to pay their last respects to the deceased. The services were in charge of Rev. A. K. Murphy, pastor at Rushtown, who paid loving tribute to the memory of Rushtown's pioneer merchant and citizen. Interment was in Rushtown cemetery.

WILL ARRIVE TONIGHT

The Sisters of St. Francis, who are to have charge of St. Mary's parochial school for the coming term are expected to arrive from Rochester, Minn., tonight. It is stated that Sister M. Raphael, who was here many years ago, will be principal of the school. Sisters Rita, Carola and Ottilia, who were here last year, have all been reappointed to the local school.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to thank my many friends for the kindness shown me during the illness and death of my kind and affectionate wife.
CHARLES CLARK,
Lucasville.

BIRTHS

A baby daughter was born to Grocer Lewis E. Bobst and wife at their home No. 1515 Chillicothe street, Saturday night.

"TAP" M'LAIN IS DEAD

C. P., better known as "Tap" Mclain, aged 74 years, an old time B. & O. S-W railroad man, died at his home in Greenfield, O., a few days ago. He had been company agent at Greenfield for forty years, retiring several years ago.

HOSPITAL SUPT. HERE

Miss Lillian Lowe, of Columbus, recently appointed by Safety Director [illegible] as superintendent of Hempstead Hospital, arrived in Portsmouth Monday morning. She will take charge of the institution Tuesday morning. Miss Lowe has been a nurse at Mt. Carmel hospital, Columbus, for several years.

DR. JOHN N. ELLISON

(Formerly of Sardinia, Ohio)

Wishes to announce he has opened an office at southeast corner Grant and Franklin avenue, Portsmouth, Ohio. Opposite Hill Top Engine House adv 17-2

Dispute Over Dog Is Up To Squire

Dispute over the ownership of a bird dog found its way into Squire Finney's court last Saturday afternoon, where Nathan Arnold and Isaac McDowell were arrayed against William Stemshorn over the possession of the dog. Stemshorn claims that the dog was taken from his home about a year ago, while the other two claim that the dog originally belonged to McDowell, who had it in its possession until a few days ago, when Stemshorn secured it on a writ of replevin.

Squire Finney's court room was crowded Saturday afternoon when the case was called, and the dog in question was the center of attraction.

After concluding the hearing, the squire announced that he would reserve his decision until Tuesday morning. Stemshorn was represented by Attorney Horace Small, while Attorney N. B. Gilliland represented Arnold and McDowell.

Carried To A Higher Court

Attorneys Blair and Kimble, representing Oscar F. Moore, have carried the case of Dr. Albert Berndt against Oscar F. Moore, heard in Squire Byron's court last Friday, to the court of common pleas, alleging error in the lower court. D. Berndt secured judgment in Squire Byron's court for $82.50 on a $105.50 claim.

ARRESTED DRUNKS

[illegible] C. [illegible] and R[illegible] Platt were arrested by Officer Grant Cooper in the West End Monday afternoon. Both were drunk. As young Platt is but 16 years of age, the police officials expect to make a determined effort to learn the source of his liquor supply.

Darkness of Ignorance.
There is no darkness but ignorance.
Shakespeare.

Blames England For European Muzzle

George Bernard Shaw

In a signed article published in a London daily George Bernard Shaw, the famed playwright, lays the whole blame for the present European war at Great Britain's door. He admits that "Prussia ought to have her head punched and all the militarism knocked out of her" but says if England had told Germany she would stand by France the Kaiser would never have thought of war.

Ahead Of Quota

Scioto county [illegible] patients at [illegible] its quota at the Athens asylum for the insane at the present time according to a notice received Monday morning by Probate Judge [illegible] from O. O. Forbes, the superintendent. On August 15th there were 150 patients in that institution from this county, whereas 102 is the number to which the county is entitled.

Back Among Home Folks

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Rheinold, of Cherry Tree, Pa., arrived in Portsmouth Sunday evening and will spend better than a week visiting relatives here and at Harrisonville and Rarden.

Mr. Rheinold was transferred from Harrisonville to Cherry Tree as a rural carrier. He is much pleased at the change as he and his wife find their new home most pleasant.

Approved Vouchers

The county commissioners, in session Monday morning, approved a large number of vouchers drawn in payment of bills against the county, according to their semi-monthly custom.

ROCKY FORK R. F. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Powell and two little children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Ellmore and family.

Miss Natalie Ellmore and her cousin, Miss Pearl Spence, of Rarden, spent Thursday night with their friend, Mrs. Hattie Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. James Day were visiting her sister, Mrs. Nane Hudson, of Silver Ridge, Tuesday.

Miss Essie Warner spent Thursday evening with Miss Natalie Ellmore.

Oscar Newman returned home Tuesday afternoon after working a while in Portsmouth.

Mrs. Alice Rodman and daughter, Edna and Mrs. Mary Woods of Big Run spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Douglas and family.

Oscar Chapman is quite ill.

THOUSANDS ENJOYED THE HARRISONVILLE PICNIC

The Harrisonville picnic Saturday under auspices of the Harrisonville G. A. R. and S. O. V. was a complete success in every way, it being estimated that at one time there were almost five thousand people thronging the groves. The best of order prevailed, and everyone had a good time.

Politicians from all over the country and district were out in force and were busy introducing and being introduced.

A feature of this year's picnic was the big increase in the number of automobiles, the roads being fairly jammed with them.

Attorney C. C. Kearns of Batavia, candidate for congress, was the first speaker, and his references to the soldier boys brought tears to many faces.

Rev. John Wynn and Rev. T. F. Copley followed with interesting talks and the speeches closed with one by Henry L. Cline of Portsmouth. In his address, Mr. Cline, regarded as one of the best orators of the city, referred to the war now raging in Europe. He said that through the wars of the past had come advances in civilization and the spread of Christianity, and that undoubtedly the war was in the hands of providence, and would end in ultimate good. He voiced the hope it would be the last great war of the world.

It was announced at the picnic that another "bigger and better" gathering would be held next August.

Auto Bus To Fair

Elmer Ottmo will run an auto bus from the postoffice to the Lucasville fair grounds each day of the fair, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. The [illegible] from the government building [illegible] He expects to make [illegible] trips from the grounds [illegible] the first trip to be made at five o'clock.

Admits Theft

[illegible]

May Be Insane

Marshal Albert Cook of South Webster, brought to the probate court Monday morning Frank Johnson, a strange man found wandering aimlessly about South Webster Sunday evening, and locked up for safe keeping. Johnson is unable to remember how he came to South Webster, or anything about his previous actions. He was committed to the county jail pending a lunacy hearing.

Youth Is Paroled

[illegible]

Bike Is Stolen

[illegible]

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